

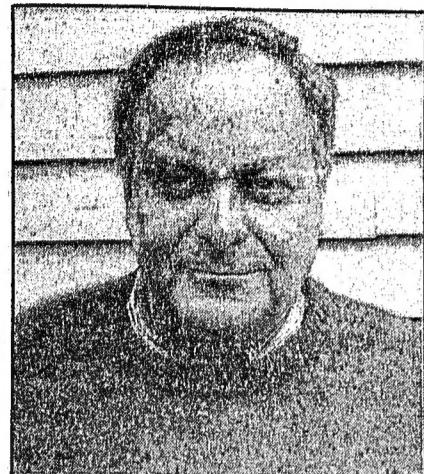
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Phillip M. Tarr

Philip Tarr named new manager in Bethel

By MICHAEL DANIELS

A veteran municipal official from the nearby Lakes Region has been chosen as Bethel's next town manager.

The town Board of Selectmen Monday voted to appoint Philip Tarr, 56, to replace Madeleine Henley, who is leaving to accept a position in the private sector.

Tarr's municipal experience includes serving from 1980 to 1984 as town manager in Bridgton and from 1984 to 1990 as town manager in Harrison.

From 1990 to 1995 he was executive director of the Maine Harness Racing Commission.

Tarr and his wife, Dotty, currently live in Bridgton, but the terms of his contract call for him to move to Bethel within six months.

Tarr's initial contract with the town is for two years. His first year salary is \$36,250, with an increase to \$38,500 when he establishes residence in the town.

Albany bingo plan still alive

• Meeting Sunday

By ALISON ALOISIO

Last Thursday -- the day after Gov. Angus King vetoed a bill that would have allowed more frequent games at high stakes bingo halls -- the Passamaquoddy Indian Tribe submitted an application to the Land Use Regulatory Commission to build such a hall in Albany.

The vetoed bill would have allowed up to 40 weekends (three days per weekend) a year of gambling. The current law allows 27 weekends of two days.

After the veto, Passamaquoddy Gov. John Stevens said the viability of the Albany project would have to be re-examined.

But Jeffrey Kosow, a representative of the Passamaquoddy development partners, said Friday the Albany plan -- which has been in the works for the past nine months -- was predicated on the already existing law.

"It would have been nice to have the additional weekends," he said -- but it is not critical to the success of the facility.

Kosow represents Snake River Financing Ltd., a Maine company. He said the developers and tribal representatives have tentatively scheduled public informational meetings for June 4 in Albany and Bethel.

"It will be for the general public and business interests," he said. "We want to make sure everyone who has an interest can see the plans and ask questions."

Ideally, said Kosow, the partners would like to break ground this summer and have the facility open by mid-March or early April.

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Liz Lavalette indicted for embezzling from Greenwood

By MICHAEL DANIELS

Former Greenwood Town Manager Liz Lavalette has been indicted by an Oxford County Grand Jury on a charge she stole \$20,000 from the town.

The indictment comes as Lavalette is awaiting trial in Massachusetts on charges she stole \$58,000 from the town of West Stockbridge.

Lavalette worked for 18 years in West Stockbridge town government, leaving in April 1996 to become Greenwood's first town manager.

She resigned in December 1996,

• Alleged to have stolen \$20,000

• Bond will cover town's loss

following her indictment in Massachusetts.

The alleged Greenwood theft was uncovered in an audit that followed Lavalette's departure.

In the course of that audit inaccuracies were discovered in the town books and the town attorney recommended the records be turned over to the state police and At-

torney General's Office for further investigation.

According to the indictment handed down last week, the alleged theft took place on June 6, 1996, when Lavalette wrote herself a check from the town for \$20,000.

A notation on the check indicated that the payment was for the sale of real estate, according to first

selectman Marie Bartlett, but no real estate transaction had in fact taken place.

The incident was uncovered when the town auditor discovered a missing number among the town's canceled checks and traced the transaction through bank records.

If convicted here Lavalette could face up to 10 years in prison and a fine (in addition of up to \$20,000, according to Oxford County Assistant District Attorney Joseph O'Connor.

The \$20,000 check Lavalette wrote to herself was the only in-

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Liz Lavalette (1996 file photo)

School budget vote is Tuesday

By ALISON ALOISIO

District voters go to the polls Tuesday, May 27, to decide the fate of the SAD44 FY'98 school budget.

If voters approve, the general fund budget bottom line -- as proposed at \$7.01 million -- would remain the same for the third consecutive year.

A drop in state aid, however, would increase the overall local assessment by 4.5 percent over the current year.

Hold assessment in FY'99

At a budget hearing last week, Pat Dooen of Bethel advised the School Board not to ask for an increase in the local assessment next time around, in FY'99.

Dooen -- a member of the Bethel Budget Committee -- said she would likely vote for the FY'98 general fund budget in next week's referendum. But, she said, she was disappointed the board had not held the overall increase in the local assessment to 2.5 percent.

Some school directors originally requested the 2.5 percent limit, but backed off when they learned it would require reducing the budget bottom line below the level it has been for the past three years.

"We don't have the industrial base," Dooen said of the community's ability to support the increased tax burden. "The mills are in trouble ... don't look for an increase next year (FY'99)."

She said some district towns have held the line on their municipal budgets for three consecutive years. The mill rate has remained the same for the past five years in Bethel.

Dot Murphy of Bethel wanted something done about the school budget this year. "It has got to be cut and cut more than before," she said.

In 1995, voters cut \$500,000 from the budget. Doing that again, said Murphy, would just be "a drop in the bucket." She said there were places the budget could be cut, but declined to elaborate, saying "they'll burn a cross on my lawn" if she did.

AES costs questioned

The cost of educating students at the Andover Elementary School came under close scrutiny from Dooen.

The K-6 school has experienced declining enrollment over the past several years. There are currently 64 students, and the number is projected to drop into the 40s in the future. In 1990, the enrollment was 89.

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But natural gas pipeline given reluctant approval

By MICHAEL DANIELS

one of the conditions attached to the approval, as are upgrading the grade of pipe, testing nearby wells before and after any blasting, and providing annual training for the Bethel Fire Department in emergency response and pipeline safety issues.

In addition to Brown, those voting for approval last week were Jan Baker, Don Bennett, David Brown and Frank Vogt.

Pipeline opponent Wally Hannigan -- whose house sits only a few feet from the currently proposed route -- expressed disappointment with the Planning Board decision.

"I wish they had stood their ground," she said.

FERC is expected soon to release a draft environmental impact statement on the project. The EIS will indicate what route the agency prefers to see the pipeline follow.

In Albany

The Land Use Regulatory Commission hopes to make its decision in July or early August regarding the stretch of pipeline that will run through Albany township, according to Cindy Bertocci of LURC.

Last week LURC held a public hearing in Bethel on the application.

Exploring the alternative route is

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we will be closed on Monday, May 26 for the Memorial Day Holiday

Memorial Day events

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OLD CHIMERA COMMON BOUND--The Bethel Bicentennial Committee and the town Fire Department want to build a brick stand on the common to house the bell from the old fire station. The bell was cast in 1896, the year of the town's centennial, and taken down in 1965, when the old fire station was torn down and replaced. There is money available for the project, Fire Chief Jim Young told the selectmen Monday evening, and the committee would like to have the bell -- which currently sits on the floor of the fire station -- in place by June 10. The selectmen unanimously approved the idea, pending a review of the plan specifics (which were not available Monday).

(Photo by Michael Daniels)

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Letters

WOODLAND CEMETERY COMPANY

To the Editor:

As the recently elected president of the Woodland Cemetery Company, I am writing to report that the organization met this week and is planning a busy season. Volunteers are needed to rake and help bring this cemetery back to its former glory. A landscape committee consisting of Barbara Honkala, Jackie Gammon, and Gary Inman is studying the cemetery and will make proposals for its future appearance. Fundraising will be focused on obtaining donations for various plants and shrubs which will greatly add to the interest of this historic site. Gravestones will be repaired and some reset as money and assistance becomes available.

Woodland Cemetery is Bethel's version of the garden cemetery movement, which became a national phenomenon beginning with the first one in Cambridge, Mass., called Mount Auburn in 1931. This cemetery offered very agreeable terrain, an engaging botanical and historical tour, and an arboretum, plus providing space for burying future generations. It quickly was adapted to Maine settings. The best-known garden cemeteries in Maine are perhaps Mount Hope in Bangor and Evergreen in Portland. By the 1850s, there was interest in this type of cemetery in Bethel led by, among others, Dr. Moses Mason. Through the years terracing was added, shrubs and trees planted, and gravesites raised and curbed. In the early years of the 20th century a tomb was added, but by the late 1970s, the governing organization languished. No meetings were held for over 15 years and the cemetery became overgrown and neglected.

Those wishing to learn more about the garden cemetery movement should consult, "Silent City on a Hill: Landscapes of Memory and Boston's Mount Auburn Cemetery" (Ohio State University Press, 1989) by Blanche Linden-Ward, or "The Last Great Necessity: Cemeteries in American History" (Johns Hopkins University Press, 1991) by Charles David Sloane (particularly Chapter Three, "Mount Auburn and the Rural-Cemetery Movement").

As part of the bicentennial, the existing organization was reactivated and much work has been done to bring the cemetery back to its former appearance. It is now in transition between tree removal and replanting. A great deal of work needs to be done including some filling in of low spots and an extensive planting project, which will take several years. Volunteers are needed to help in this project from raking to planting. Those wishing to assist should contact members of the board: Stan Howe (824-2291), Eldon Greenleaf (824-2040), Barbara Honkala (824-2711), Mary Keniston (824-2504), Elizabeth Bane (824-3481), Mary Wheeler (824-2985), and Gary Inman (836-3566) or the sexton, Emerson Clough (836-2575).

The next general meeting will be held on June 9, at 7 p.m., at my house (18 Broad Street).

Stan Howe
Bethel

ALBANY BINGO HALL MEETING

To the Editor:

Albany residents are invited to a meeting at the Albany Town Hall to address the issue of the proposed Bingo Hall on the Passamaquoddy land on the West Bethel Road in Albany. The meeting will be held Sunday, May 25, at 1 p.m. The purpose of this meeting is to inform local residents about the impact this facility would have on them.

Jeff Rosenblatt, a resident of Albany, will be present to address any issues that the residents have concerning the proposed gambling facility. Rosenblatt has offered to act as a liaison between the residents and LURC to explain in detail the complexity of the application that the Passamaquoddy tribe has filed with that agency for the Bingo Hall. A copy of the application will be available.

Representatives of the Passamaquoddy tribe will make a presentation regarding the site. For further information contact me at 527-2138.

Dorothy Duddy
Albany

COMMUNITY LEADERS FORUM

To the Editor:

The Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce was pleased to sponsor the first Annual Community Leaders Forum last Tuesday, May 13, at Crescent Park School, in cooperation with the Mahoosuc Arts Council and the Bethel Rotary Club. The facilitator was Steve Wight, chamber board member and community advocate.

The idea to do this stemmed from chamber president George Driscoll's vision to provide an opportunity for all the "movers and shakers" of the diverse group of SAD44 area organizations to get to know one another, share missions, develop a comprehensive community calendar and to see if there is a "cause" or project that the group can tackle collectively.

Approximately 50 community leaders attended the forum, representing more than 50 organizations (many people wear more than one hat). Each of the SAD44 towns was represented by at least one group.

After considerable discussion, with each individual having the opportunity to share their thoughts, the notion of a "common project" was addressed. The group came to consensus on the need for an "intergenerational activity program," perhaps similar in some ways to what YMCA in other communities has done. A steering committee of Dan Hart, Rick Mowry, Brendon Bass, Brian Stowell, John Grant, Gail Wight, Nancy Babcock, Delma McMillin, Kathy Trefethen, Laurie McPherson and Robin Zinchuk have agreed to meet this Thursday, May 22, at 7:30 a.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church on Church Street, Bethel, to establish some next steps in the effort to make this idea a reality for the people of the Bethel area. Anyone wishing to help with this project is invited to attend Thursday's meeting or call the chamber office at 824-2282.

Other significant suggestions given were: to develop a comprehensive list of organizations, contact names and phone numbers that would be available to anyone wishing to access it; and to develop a comprehensive calendar of events on Bethel's web site. The chamber agreed to tackle these two suggestions.

Any organization that was not able to attend the forum or has not been contacted to be on the "master list" should call the chamber as soon as possible.

Robin Zinchuk
Executive Director, Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

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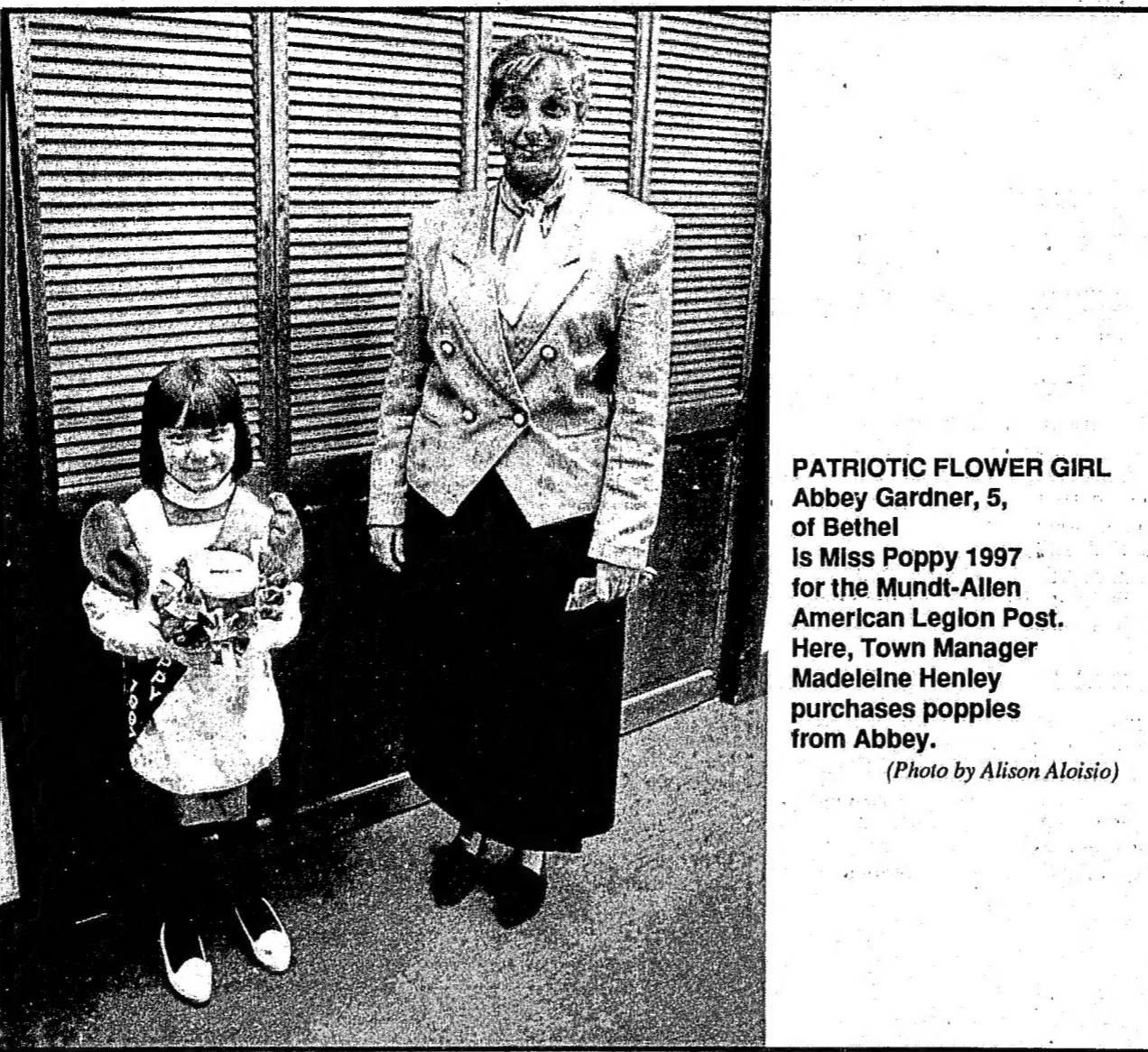
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PATRIOTIC FLOWER GIRL
Abbey Gardner, 5,
of Bethel
Is Miss Poppy 1997
for the Mundt-Allen
American Legion Post.
Here, Town Manager
Madeleine Henley
purchases poppies
from Abbey.

(Photo by Alison Aloisio)

RICK ROY SCHOLARSHIP FUND

To the Editor:

The family, colleagues, and friends of Rick Roy, who passed away this year, are establishing a scholarship in his memory. Rick was a long-time teacher at Telstar Regional High School, as well as a long-time supporter of athletics at the school. Rick is fondly remembered by all his students especially his advanced biology classes, where his famous "the body is a marvelous machine" attitude hooked many students on the biological sciences.

The scholarship fund is being collected at the high school, and the scholarship will be an annual remembrance of Rick. Anyone interested in contributing to this deserving fund may send a check made out to Richard L. Roy Scholarship Fund, c/o Telstar High School, 284 Walkers Mills Road, Bethel, ME 04217.

Jim Lunney
Science Department, Telstar High School

TIME CAPSULE THANKS

To the Editor:

The Bethel Bicentennial Committee would like to thank everyone who took the time to participate in its recent time capsule contests and congratulate the winners. The winners in the community contest were announced following the April 19 Patriot's Day program at the Bethel Historical Society with first prize going to Doris Brown, second prize to Evelyn Nickerson and third prize to Karen Paul.

The contest at Crescent Park School was overseen by Marilyn Swan, and the winners were announced at an assembly at the school on May 7 when prizes were presented by Sis Post, Stan Howe and Danna Nickerson of the Bicentennial Committee. The winning entries were submitted by Mrs. Caddigan's class, first; Mrs. Wight's class, second; Mrs. Stelle's class, third; and honorable mention, Mrs. Kuzik's class. Prizes of bicentennial memorabilia were awarded to the winners in both contests and the first prize class at Crescent Park School will be treated to a pizza party.

We are now in the process of collecting the items to be included in the time capsule which will be sealed on Tuesday, June 10 to be reopened by the town's citizens of Bethel's 300th birthday, June 10, 2096. Watch for announcement of a short ceremony next month to seal the capsule officially closing Bethel's Bicentennial observance.

The committee would like to remind everyone that our long-awaited souvenir booklet is now available for purchase at the Bethel Historical Society, the Bethel Town Office, Book-n-Things of Bethel, Preb's, and Ruthie's for a minimum donation of \$5. Included with the booklet is a bicentennial year calendar, as long as calendar supplies last. Mail orders for the booklet can be sent to Souvenir Booklet, Bethel Bicentennial Committee, P.O. Box 995, Bethel, ME, 04217. Please add \$2.50 for shipping to the \$5 minimum base price.

Danna Brown Nickerson
Bethel Bicentennial Committee

PRINCESS MOLLYOCKETT SOUGHT

To the Editor:

Mollyockett Day 1997 will soon be here. Once more, the Bethel Lions Club is looking for a young woman to be Princess Mollyockett 1997. She must be between the ages of 15 and 18 by July 19, 1997 (Mollyockett Day). Also, she must be a resident of the SAD44 area for at least two years. She will receive a \$100 U.S. Savings Bond.

Those who are interested are asked to contact Lion Malcolm Gould (824-2747) for more information and an application. Princess Mollyockett and a runner-up will be chosen in early June.

Malcolm C. Gould Jr.
Chairman, Princess Mollyockett Committee

Pols Plucking Media Strings

By MIKE BROWN

With the Maine Legislature winding down its first gimmicky extraordinary occasioned special session which is sandwiched between the First Regular Session, which had to adjourn halfway through its work to pass a one-party Democratic budget, and the Second Regular Session possibly convening in 1998 if not aced by another extraordinary occasion, so -- hey! -- no wonder the folks back home feel jilted and confused.

Well, so are the trench legislators over party leader tactics which in the last session threw of dueling press releases and propaganda rhetoric is so confusing that sometimes authorship is in question.

Take the example of the Maine's worker's compensation system which once held the dubious distinction of being one of the five highest pay-outs among the nation's states. Prospective new businesses and in-state business expansion avoided Maine like the plague.

On former Gov. Jock McKernan's watch, he insisted that worker's comp be radically re-structured. The Democrats and their main constituents, labor unions, fought most revisions, which resulted in the infamous state shutdown of 1990 for which McKernan got the blame. The fact is that Democratic senators shut down the state by refusing to vote for the budget which included worker's comp revisions.

However, most of the existing worker's comp laws proposed by McKernan and his administration (including now U.S. Sen. Susan Collins), who fought for reform for years, brought a much brighter business climate to Maine.

Previously, "union lawyers" were reaping millions representing workers' claims. That changed with the revisions and the unions and their lawyers have been trying to reinstate several previous conditions of the law. One is the eliminated "prevail standard" whereby employers were required to pay a worker's lawyer fees if the employee prevailed in a claim.

Because trial lawyers usually accepted these cases on a contingency fee basis, that is, one-third to one-half settlement awards, and the previous workers' laws were so liberal and generous, lawyers collected millions. One firm, representing a majority

of union worker claims, took in over \$6 million one year.

The "prevail standard" is hardly popular with Maine businesses. Knowing that, House Speaker Elizabeth Mitchell on May 2 issued a press release saying that the D's were pleased that one bill's version of reinstating the prevail standard was rejected by the House and Senate.

She said, "We have no desire to reverse the reforms (worker's comp) of 1992 that have led to a strong growth in business."

Mitchell's comment is exactly the position of the Republican minority in the Legislature who have been warning that any "fooling around" with changes in the worker's comp law would be disastrous.

Then on May 14 another bill version reinstating the prevail standard was before the 13-member labor committee. Both House and Senate chairs are Democrats and the D's outnumber the R's eight to five.

The bill received a Democratic party line vote of acceptance with only Republican Sen. Peter Mills (who's day job is a trial attorney) joining the majority vote.

Hypocrisy is nothing new in politics but it seems that the Democrats have become the artful dodgers of the 118th Legislature.

And the Republicans in late session aren't entirely without rhetorical flops. The House R's actually complimented Gov. Angus King on his new state "tax relief" proposal, which went nowhere because it reaches first-fifth into the very budgets of local governments and mandates a statewide combined tax-and-spending plan, which on its face usurps local governmental fiscal policies.

Okay, then on the same day, Republican senators were hosing the governor (he's a couch potato, says GOP Senate Leader Jane Amero) claiming the only leadership King has given to the people of Maine on tax relief is "hollow rhetoric."

Just who's on the people's first base here, anyway, the Three Stoogies? (Veteran newsman and columnist Mike Brown writes regularly on the Augusta political scene. His views are his own and do not necessarily reflect those of The Citizen.)

OUR BACK PAGES

LOOKING BACK

10 years ago: Town Manager Rodney Lynch informed the Bethel Board of Selectmen the town would receive \$18,000 from the federal government to repair damage caused by the April 1 flood.

Melinda Seames and Nancy Darling were proprietors of Hearty Moms Flower Shop in Locke Mills.

Gould Academy physics instructor Thomas Ford was chosen to participate in the 1987 Woodrow Wilson Institute on high school physics at Princeton University.

Ronald Kendall retired after 30 years of service to the U.S. Postal Service as an RFD carrier.

Cadette Girl Scouts Haley Blake of Bethel, Michelle Powell of Locke Mills and adult Girl Scout volunteer Cindy Blake went on a seven-day Girl Scout Event in Savannah, Ga.

Marriage: Claire Bachelder and George Romano.

Deaths: Edith Thurston, Elsie Farar, Dr. Beryl Moore.

20 years ago: Wayne F. Gerssen of Philadelphia, Pa., was named principal of Telstar Regional High School.

Rena Abbott wrote and recited a poem commemorating the 15th anniversary of the Bethel Senior Citizens.

Angela Jordan was chosen Poppy Girl for Jackson-Silver Post, Locke Mills.

Steve Wight, owner of Sunday River Inn, completed a 10-day Outward Bound course at Hurricane Island.

Births: Adam Luxton, Clinton Wakefield, Amy Patten.

Marriage: Gretchen Meentz and David Robertson.

Deaths: Ernest Grover, Arlene Wesson.

30 years ago: Janice Bailey was selected Miss Poppy 1967.

Gardiner L. Brown of Bethel was killed instantly in a train/car collision at the Ferry Road crossing in West Bethel.

Eighty Gould Academy alumni and coaches paid tribute to "Coach" Ordell "Andy" Anderson, who was teaching after 39 years teaching and coaching at the school, at a banquet held in his honor.

Attending the Gould Academy Child Guidance and Nursery School class, directed by home economics instructor Lillian Conant, were: Tony Butters, George Charest, Becky Sue Davis, Eric Hastings, Jophie Hess, Wendy Hurd, Mary MacKay, Mindy Merrill, Jock Morton, Eddie Swain and Loretta Wight.

William Eames was sponsored by the Greater Bethel Chamber of Commerce to attend Dirigo Boys' State.

Deaths: Mabel Durkee, Fred Record, Chester Hopkins, Earl Bane, Gardiner Brown.

40 years ago: Harlan Hutchins was elected chairman and Mary Rice secretary-treasurer of the Bethel Junior Baseball.

Area men in the U.S. Army Reserves were: Pfc. Kenneth Nowlin, Pvt. Everett Saunders, Pvt. Jack Greig, Pvt. Merle Cole, 1st Sgt. Roderick McMillin, Cpl. Richard Douglass, Sgt. Neil Merrill, Pfc. Howard Gunther, Pvt. Arthur Mills and Lt. Col. Edmond J. Vachon.

Class representatives elected to serve on the 1957-58 Gould Academy Student Council were: seniors, Sara Ault of Wayne, Heath Sandbach of Stamford, Conn., Alan Ordway of Bridgton, Richard Grover of Bethel; juniors, Betsy Chapman, Ruth Willard and Robert Felt of Bethel, and William Small of Raymond; sophomores, Sue Martin of Intervale, N.H., Sue Saunders and Charles Eyrer of Bethel, and Peter Wheeler of Rockland.

Birth: Kimball Boyce.

Marriage: Gloria Wilson and Marvin Wilson.

Deaths: Ella Cole,

Briefly

Webster headed to Biddeford

BETHEL--Dr. Kent Webster, SAD44 interim superintendent, has accepted a job as superintendent for the Biddeford school system. A two-year contract with an option for a third year was approved last week by the School Committee, Webster said. Webster is scheduled to start in the position July 1. His contract with SAD44 ends June 30.

BWD trustees consider borrowing

BETHEL--A \$300,000 federal grant for the Bethel Water District's water line improvements has been delayed because it is tied to a federal grant for sewer work. Engineers are not expected to have preliminary plans for that work until June 2, according to Town Manager Madeleine Henley. Trustees are considering borrowing money in advance of the federal funds, in order to get the work started while a bid that was submitted is still available. Trustee John Head said the board is hesitant to enter into short-term borrowing, but waiting until the 1998 construction season would likely increase the cost of the project.

Leaders' forum generates activity plan

BETHEL--Community leaders last week agreed to work together to provide an intergenerational activity program, similar in some ways to programs provided by YMCAs. The idea came out of the first Annual Community Leaders Forum held last week and attended by about 40 people. A steering committee was organized to plan the project. Anyone interested in helping is invited to attend a meeting May 22 at 7:30 a.m. at the West Parish Congregational Church, or call the Chamber of Commerce office at 824-2282.

AWD users to meet

ANDOVER--The annual meeting of the Andover Water District is scheduled for May 29 at 7 p.m. at the Town Hall. Users will elect three trustees to fill terms of one, two and three years. All the current trustees were appointed within the past year. Also on the agenda will be discussion regarding whether to set up by-laws for the district.

Rabies clinic planned

NEWRY--A rabies clinic will be held May 31 at the Bear River Grange Hall in Newry. The cost is \$8 a shot, and anyone may bring pets in for vaccination by Dr. Don McLean. Hours for the clinic are 9 to 11 a.m.

New Cole plan goes to board

GREENWOOD--Gordon Brown returned to the Planning Board Monday with a third plan for a Twitchell Pond lot owned by Carlton and Leona Cole. Two earlier permit applications were rejected by the planners and the Board of Appeals, because of town lot and shoreland zoning requirements. The latest plan calls for a 20-by-34-foot house to be built 17 feet from the edge of the road. Brown told the Planning Board he realized they would have to reject the application because it does not meet the road setback requirements (50 feet from the centerline of the road), but hoped if he then took it to the Board of Appeals, that board would grant a variance.

Legislature, AES kids OK chickadee

AUGUSTA/ANDOVER--The state Legislature last week approved Maine's state bird, the chickadee, to appear on new license plates to be issued in 1999. The House originally voted for a lighthouse, but reversed its vote after the Senate voted for the bird. The chickadee met with the approval of some western Maine residents, who said the lighthouse was not representative of the entire state. The fourth-grade class at the Andover Elementary School voted for the chickadee, with an eagle coming in a close second. None favored the lighthouse. "It's the state bird, and it's everywhere," said class member Lacey Gammon of the chickadee. It was 10 years ago that fourth-graders from southern, coastal Maine successfully lobbied to put a lobster on the state's license plates.

SAD43 board OK's budget increase

RUMFORD--The SAD43 School Board Monday approved an \$11.2 million school budget -- a 2.2 percent increase over this year's. Early in the budget development process, the board had asked the finance committee to bring in a figure equal to the current year's budget of \$10.9 million. But after many meetings, the majority of the board rejected proposals that would maintain the figure because it would cut into the district's educational program.

Contractor erosion program offered

AUGUSTA--The Department of Environmental Protection is initiating a new voluntary contractor certification program. The program recognizes contractors who make an attempt to improve their knowledge of erosion control techniques and who employ proper practices at their construction sites. Individual contractors who take two six-hour courses and who meet the requirements of a construction site evaluation qualify for certification, which is valid for two years and may be renewed. A new erosion control law takes effect July 1, and requires that controls be installed at all sites where soil is disturbed. For more information call DEP at (207) 287-7726.

Memorial Day travel record expected

PORLTAND--The Memorial Day Weekend is expected to produce a record number of Americans traveling on the holiday, according to the American Automobile Association. An estimated 30.8 million people are expected to travel 100 miles or more from home -- up 2 percent from last year.

Apply for unemployment by phone

WASHINGTON, D.C.--Maine will be awarded a \$604,183 grant from the U.S. Department of Labor to enable workers to file for unemployment insurance by telephone. "This step will allow those who have lost their jobs to navigate the unemployment system more easily, making a difficult time a little smoother and easier," said a statement from the Maine Congressional Delegation, which announced the grant last week. DOL presented grants totaling \$9 million to Maine and 10 other states to assist dislocated workers, permitting states to take initial unemployment claims by telephone. The grant is also designed to reduce the cost of administering the unemployment program.

Kids fish for free June 7 in WMNF

GORHAM, N.H.--Kids ages 15 and under are invited to try their luck fishing during a free fishing day to be held June 7 at the Wildcat Ski Area Pond. "The fishing day is being planned to celebrate National Fishing Week," said Lesley Rowse, White Mountain National Forest wildlife biologist. "We will have clinics on 'How to Fish' and 'Aquatic Awareness,' plus lots of fishing." For more information call (603) 466-2713.

Killington wants pipeline

MONTPELIER, Vt.--A new wrinkle has developed in the recent land swap between the state and Vermont's largest ski area: Killington wants to lay a 1.8-mile pipe along state Route 100 to move water for snowmaking. Killington and Dean administration officials announced earlier this month the state would give the ski resort about 1,000 acres of land near the base of the mountain, in exchange for 3,000 acres that the state considers prime bear habitat. As part of the deal it was expected the ski area would be able to take water from Reservoir Brook to expand its snow-making operations. But officials in the Department of Fish and Wildlife objected. Now a new proposal has been worked out that would have the ski area run a pipe along side the brook to the Woodard Reservoir in Plymouth. The pipe would be laid in the shoulder of Route 100 through West Bridgewater.



JACKSON-SILVER JUNIOR AUXILIARY OFFICERS. Front (l to r): Abigail Hutchins, Jamie Johnson, Jaime Grover, Martha Grover. Back: Bethany Lyon, Nancy Grover, Martha Stowell, Vera Cross, Olive Risko, Ada Cummings, Honey Bailey, Evanna Davis. Johnson and Martha Grover will travel to the National Convention of the American Legion Junior Auxiliary in Orlando, Fla., this summer. Johnson and Grover were recently elected state secretary and state president, respectively. The purpose of the Auxiliary is to encourage and promote leadership and Americanism, and to help the American Legion and its families.

From the Bethel Police log:

Fourth celebrated early

At 12:10 p.m. on May 17 the officer was flagged over by a complainant who reported the residence behind his was setting off fireworks all through the previous night and early in the morning. The officer found fireworks debris in the yard, and advised the owner of the residence of the fireworks law in Maine. He said he had disposed of the last items he had that morning. He said no further incidents would occur.

Wednesday, May 14

At 6:15 p.m. police observed a subject operating a vehicle southbound on Route 26. Knowing the subject to be suspended, the officer stopped and summonsed William S. Oldakowski, 33, of Bethel for OAS. He and the vehicle were released to a friend at the scene.

Thursday, May 15

At 6:45 p.m. a subject was observed operating an ATV on Lincoln Boulevard. A traffic stop was made and the subject, a juvenile, was summonsed for operating an ATV on a public way. He was then released.

At 9:15 p.m. a caller reported a truck driver entering a store appeared either intoxicated or very tired. Police followed the vehicle to West Bethel village and observed no erratic operation. Having no probable cause for a stop, the officer took no further action. The information was passed on to Berlin, N.H., police. Shelburne, N.H. police later advised they had spoken with the operator and advised him to pull over and take a nap.

Saturday, May 17

At 7:21 p.m. a subject was reported to have brandished a 17-inch butcher knife at a juvenile. Stanley P. Kendzierski, 56, of West Bethel was arrested on a charge of terrorizing with a weapon.

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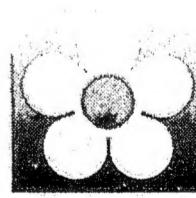
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Local Memorial Day Events

Newry

On Sunday, May 25 at noon, a ceremony will be held at the Newry Municipal Building. Invocation and prayers will be offered, and a memorial address will be given.

Members of the Jackson-Silver American Legion Post in Locke Mills, the Mundt-Allen American Legion Post in Bethel and the Veterans of Foreign Wars' Post in Bethel will form a color guard and firing squad to salute the war dead and veterans. Taps will be played and flowers placed on the town memorial.

Refreshments will be served in the Municipal Building prior to the event.

Greenwood

At 8:45 a.m. on Memorial Day a parade will form at the Jackson-Silver Post on the Gore Road, and will step off at 9 a.m.

The parade will feature Boy and Girl Scouts, the Mahoosuc Music Makers, the Bryant Pond Daughters of the American Revolution, Tri-Town Rescue, Legionnaires, fire trucks and more.

The parade will march to the Greenwood Memorial. State Sen. Norm Ferguson will be guest speaker. Chaplain Rodney Hanscom will offer a prayer. The post Auxiliary will place flowers at the memorial and on the water. There will also be a firing squad salute to veterans.

The parade will then begin again and travel to Mt. Abram Cemetery. At the cemetery, Pastor Hanscom will offer a prayer, a veteran's grave will be decorated, taps played and the Jackson-Silver Post firing squad will salute war dead and veterans.

The parade will then disperse and transportation will be provided back to the Legion Hall for refreshments. All interested organizations are invited to take part.

Bethel

A parade will assemble between 10:30 and 11 a.m. on Memorial Day at the Civil War Monument on lower Main Street. Expected to march are American Legion Post 81 and Post 81 Ladies Auxiliary, Bethel VFW, Boy, Girl, Cub and Brownie scouts, and Mahoosuc Music Makers band. The parade begins

at 11, under the direction of parade marshall Elmer (Sonny) Bean, with a salute to the Carl Churchill monument. It will then proceed up Main Street to the common.

The program at the common is as follows: invocation by Rev. Roland Lord; Mahoosuc Music Makers' special music, "The Unknown Soldier," by Ramona Grover; VFW speaker Roland Lord; introduction of 1997 Miss Poppy and reading "In Flanders Field," by Jane Lowe; Nelson Durgin, MGEN, USAF (retired); Mahoosuc Music Makers, more special music; firing squad salute to the dead; Taps; benediction by Post 81 chaplain, Sylvia Clanton.

East Bethel

At 10:45 a.m. on Memorial Day the American Legion and anyone else interested in participating will organize at the East Bethel Cemetery. They will then march into the cemetery. A memorial service will be presented by Pastor Rodney Hanscom. The speaker will be Dr. Stanley Howe. A 21-gun salute to veterans will follow.

West Paris

The West Paris Memorial Day Parade will be held at 11 a.m. on Monday, May 26 and is sponsored by Ring-McKeen Post American Legion #151 and its Auxiliary.

The parade schedule is: 10:45 a.m., assemble at Maple Street. At 11 a.m. march from Maple Street to salute the American flag and sing the "Star Spangled Banner," with Roy Fowler as the flag bearer; then proceed to the bridge. The ladies will throw wreaths into the river to commemorate those seamen lost at sea.

An about face will take the procession to the cemetery for a prayer by Rev. Lloyd Waterhouse, grand marshal and pastor of the Grace Fellowship Church of Oxford. "Flanders Field" will be presented by Bertha Benoit, Legion Commander Delbert Wilson will give a presentation and Rev. Waterhouse will give the Memorial Day Address, followed by a few selections performed by the Oxford Hills High School Band.

There then will be a gun salute by the Legionnaires, who will also be providing the honor guard. Taps will be performed by the band as Cleo Ryerson and others place flags at the graves of

soldiers.

The parade will continue back to the monument in Village Square and Rev. Gordon DeHaas, of the West Paris and North Paris Baptist churches, will offer a prayer as the monument is decorated by Kathy Bartlett and others. There will be a rendition of "God Bless America" by all present before the festivities continue in the form of popsicles, cookies and coffee at the Finnish-American/American Legion Hall on Maple Street.

Scheduled to participate in this year's procession are the West Paris Fire Department, the Greenwood Fire Department, the Tri-Town Ambulance Corps, the Maine State Police, Ring-McKeen Post #151 Legion and Auxiliary, the Grand Marshals, the West Paris Grange, members of young people's groups from the West Paris and North Paris Baptist churches, the West Paris Congregational Church, the Woodstock Adventist Church, Cub Scouts, Boy Scouts, Brownie Scouts, Girl Scouts, 4-H'ers, girls' softball teams, boys' baseball teams, school children, antique cars and all others who wish to be a part of the day's events.

For more information, please contact Bertha Benoit at 674-3962.

Woodstock

At 1 p.m. on Memorial Day a ceremony will be held at the honor roll near the Grange Hall. Veteran Joseph Morin will be the speaker and the program will feature music by the Mahoosuc Music Makers, Logan's Address and the Gettysburg Address. School children will place flags and flowers on the town honor roll.

The parade will leave from the Grange Hall at 1:30 p.m. and travel to the Lakeside Cemetery, where a veterans' memorial prayer will be offered, along with taps and a 21-gun salute.

Included in the parade will be the Bryant Pond Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War. American Legion and VFW members are also expected to march. Anyone interested in marching is welcome to line up for the parade.

Andover

At 1 p.m. on Memorial Day a service will be held on the town common.

Tips from the

Bethel Conservation Commission

Leftover paint -- what should be done with it? Save it all for Household Hazardous Waste Collection Day? Not necessarily -- here are some suggestions.

First, separate your leftover paint into two categories, latex (water based) and oil based. Latex paints are not normally included in Household Hazardous Waste collections. Latex paint containers can be left open (away from children and pets) to let the contents slowly harden to a solid which can be included with regular trash going to the town's transfer station.

Oil-based paints are collected in Household Hazardous Waste collections. However, any paint you can use up yourself, or give away for someone else to use, saves the town money in disposal costs. Such leftovers that have not deteriorated are often suitable as a first coat where the particular color wouldn't matter. For such purposes, different colored paints of a similar type could be mixed together. But keep the paint in its original container until you are sure of using it up.

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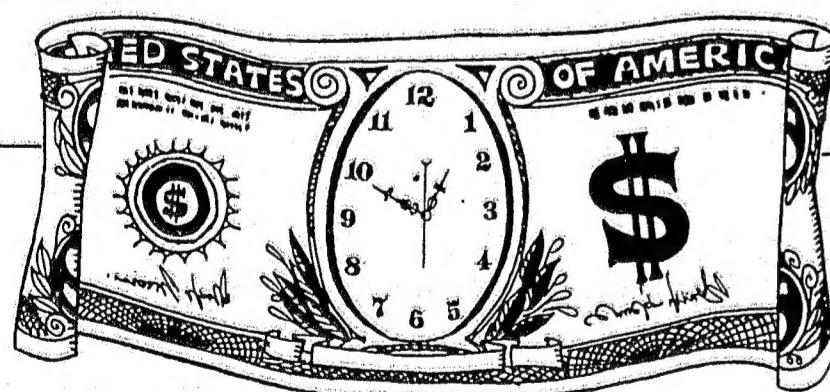
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ROLLINSON EARNED MFA

Andrew Rollinson, a 1988 graduate of Telstar High School, will receive his Master of Fine Arts degree in creative writing from Emerson College in Boston on May 18. He has received the Richard Duprey Award for best short story written by a graduate student.

Part of his graduate thesis was a play that was produced and performed in Boston.

In 1994 he received his bachelor of fine arts degree magna cum laude from Emerson College. At that time he was awarded the Dean's Prize for best short story by an undergraduate, and recognized for winning this three separate years.

Rollinson is currently employed as a technical writer for Charleton Corporation, a software company. He and his wife, Michelle, and son, Kevin, live in Littleton, Mass.

He is the son of Sally Taylor of Bethel.

FROM THE

Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce

Many thanks to the businesses of the Philbrook Place on Main Street, Bethel, for hosting May's Business After Hours this past Monday evening. It was great to see so many out enjoying this great facility.

June's Business After Hours will be held on Tuesday, June 10, on the new deck of the Riverview Resort from 4 to 6:30 p.m. There will be a hot dog cookout with salads and chips and several door prizes for those attending. Bring your business card for the door prize drawing. Immediately after the gathering, we will encourage all the Bethel voters to move up to the Bethel Town Meeting, which will be held at Crescent Park School. They will have the opportunity to vote on an article to appropriate funds to erect three "Welcome to Bethel" signs, and voters are needed to support it. This issue was among the top three identified in the 1996 chamber membership survey.

Raffle tickets are now available for the beautiful, original watercolor painting donated by artist Christine Knight Coombs. They are \$1 each, or six for \$5 and can be purchased from any board member or at the chamber office. The chamber will also have the commemorative 1997 Bethel Art Fair posters for sale soon, with this piece of art as the centerpiece. Please come to the chamber office in the train station to see it.

The new Summer/Fall 1997 Bethel Area Map & Guides are hot off the press. The chamber worked with Deena and Gerard Guillet at the Maine Press to develop this much-improved piece. They will be distributed within the next two weeks -- come and pick up some if you'd like.

Mundt-Allen Post 81 and Auxiliary

The Installation of Officers of the Mundt-Allen Post 81 American Legion and Auxiliary was held at the Legion Home on Vernon Street, Bethel, on Tuesday evening, May 13.

Vito DeFilipp, past national commander was the installing officer for the legion; with Ed Roach, past department commander and present department finance officer, as installing sgt-at-arms; and Leland Merchant, past Oxford County commander as installing chaplain.

The Auxiliary Department of Maine vice president officiated at an impressive candlelight installation ceremony for the newly elected Unit 18 officers. Wanda Eldridge, department chaplain served as installing sgt-at-arms and Audrey Daigle, department children and youth chairman was installing chaplain.

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Bethel Rec. programs

The Bethel Recreation Board will sponsor the following programs this summer; some new programs have been added to the agenda.

Tennis lessons will be given by Nancy Willard, recently retired professor from U.S.M., starting on July 21 and ending on Aug. 15. Lessons will be given three mornings per week for four weeks for a fee of \$50 to students age 10-adult. Each person will need to bring his/her own racket. Registration forms will be available at the Town Office after June 2.

Horseback Riding (limited to six participants per session, who must be at least 7 years old). Speckled Mountain Ranch in West Bethel has offered to give lessons on June 24, July 1, and July 8 from 9 a.m. to 12 noon. Registration forms will be available at the Town Office after June 2, and a \$5 fee is due at time of sign-up.

Red Cross Swim Lessons will be held at Songo Pond starting June 30 and ending on July 25 with Beth LaVallee as instructor. Registration forms will be available at the Town Office after June 2. Fees will be: \$5 per student, or \$10 per family for residents; \$10 per student, or \$20 per family for nonresidents.

Canoe Lessons. Dates to be announced.

Mountain Biking Instruction. Dates to be announced.

Both the baseball and softball programs are well underway with games scheduled at Crescent Park School fields, Telstar and Freedom Field on the Lone Pine Road in Newry.

Further information about new programs will be forthcoming in The Citizen.

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School budget

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Doen asked for a comparison of the per pupil cost at Crescent Park and Andover elementary schools. Principal David Murphy said he did not have specific total figures, but said CPS costs were lower because of its greater number of students. Costs for some AES services, such as guidance and library, have been trimmed to be comparable to those at CPS, he said.

Doen asked about moving AES sixth-graders to Bethel. Currently, sixth-graders from other district towns attend Telstar Middle School.

Dr. Kent Webster, interim superintendent, said moving the AES students had been considered, but "SAD44 made a commitment to the town of Andover when we formed the district."

He conceded if enrollments decline further, "changes down the road will have to be looked at."

Dot Murphy also raised the issue of the cost of continuing to operate the Ethel Bisbee School, currently used for some Adult Education and community services. She said any major maintenance problems that

might arise would impact the general fund budget, even though the separate Adult Ed program currently pays reimbursement for the use of the building.

NOVA, Adult Education budgets
SAD44's share of the proposed FY'98 NOVA budget will be \$185,906 -- up \$12,733 from this year. (NOVA is now known as the Region 9 School of Applied Technology.)

The increases come mainly from equipment purchases, according to director Dewaine Craig. The school plans to refurbish computers and buy safety equipment for several programs, including forestry, building and metal trades.

Craig said there have been some savings in salary accounts, as a result of several staff retirements.

The proposed Adult Education budget of \$181,447 reflects a \$3,000 increase in the local share (\$75,024) over this year. In FY'98, the state subsidy will be down \$1,500. The local share stayed the same for the past two years.

Detailed copies of all the budgets are available to the public at school and town offices.

School budget polling hours

Town	Hours	Location
Andover	10 - 8	Town Hall
Bethel	10 - 8	CPS Gym
Greenwood	10 - 8	Municipal Bldg.
Newry	10 - 8	Town Office
Woodstock	9 - 8	Town Office

Bingo hall

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LURC hearings expected

That may not fit with LURC hearing scheduling. Catherine Varney, LURC senior project analyst, said that because of notification laws, a hearing may not be possible until summer. A recommendation for a decision by LURC commissioners would then likely follow in the fall, she said.

In vetoing the bill last week, King acknowledged the tribe is in need of job opportunities and economic development. But, he said, "expanding opportunities for people to gamble away their weekly paychecks is not economic development. A 40-weekend-a-year high-stakes bingo operation would change the character of the community in which it is located and change the character of Maine for the worse."

Rep. Al Barth (R-Bethel) had opposed the plan. "It's a lousy way to

promote economic development," he said.

The House of Representatives Thursday failed to override King's veto. Barth said then that he was pleased with the outcome.

After the application was submitted, Barth said he still doubted if the project could ultimately go forward because of floodplain issues. It would be difficult, he believes, to place a septic system to serve a large facility in the area. "If you dig down two or three feet it fills up with water," he said.

Dennis Bailey, King's press secretary, said Friday the governor would not comment on the application. "The (LURC) process is set up to work," said Bailey, and King did not want to interfere.

Attorney Jeff Rosenblatt, who lives in Albany, expects to act on

behalf of an ad hoc committee known as the Albany Improvement Association "if it is the will of the organization," he said.

Rosenblatt said he would likely petition for intervenor status, request a public hearing, and oppose the plan. "We'll do whatever it takes to uphold the law and make effective the lawful will of the people," he said.

Rosenblatt will address Albany residents' issues at a meeting scheduled for Sunday, May 25, at 1 p.m. at the Town Hall. Representatives from the Passamaquoddy tribe are also expected to attend.

A copy of the application is available at the Bethel Town Office. Written comments regarding the proposal may be sent to Varney's attention at LURC, 22 State House Station, Augusta 04333.

Pipeline

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Some members of the audience spoke against the plan, raising largely the same concerns that have been raised in Bethel; but others supported it, arguing that it would enhance economic development both locally and statewide.

Also among those attending the LURC hearing were representatives of the Portland Pipeline Corp., which currently operates an oil pipeline on the same route.

PPC has requested the new line be laid twice the proposed 25-foot distance away from its line, partly for safety reasons.

But PNGTS representatives countered that the 25-foot proposal would minimize the amount of new clearing that would have to take place.

On this issue also, the final decision will rest with FERC.

County endorses plan

The Oxford County commissioners on Tuesday unanimously endorsed the proposed pipeline. In their resolution of endorsement, the commissioners called the pipeline "an important infrastructure project ... that will provide significant economic and environmental benefits to the entire region, including an estimated \$882,000 in first year tax payments to Oxford County towns."

Lavalette

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stance of alleged embezzlement found during the course of the state investigation, O'Connor said.

Records being reassembled

Because of the ongoing audit and uncertainty over town accounts, selectmen were unable to publish an

annual report in time for Greenwood's annual Town Meeting in March.

Bartlett said Tuesday that the audit is now expected to be completed in two to three weeks, and an annual report will follow in another

two to three weeks.

Of the alleged theft, she said: "We feel betrayed. You just lose a little more faith in mankind."

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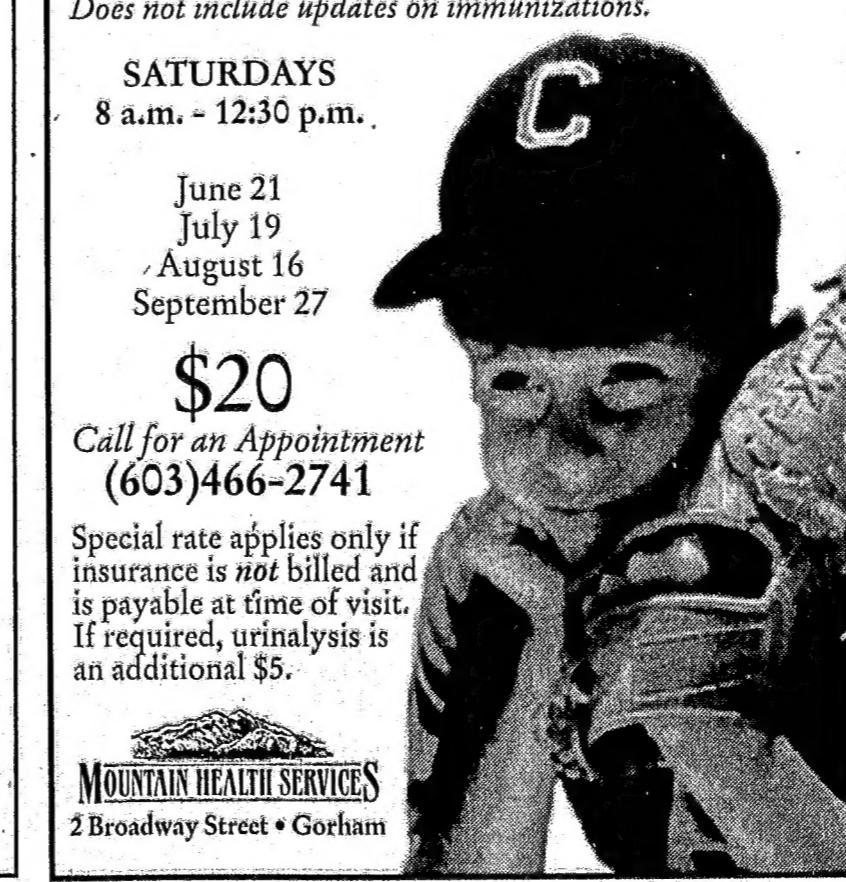
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NEWRY	1,376,505	1,291,016	\$85,489	6.62%
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TOTAL	\$4,347,773	\$4,159,200	\$188,573	4.53%

TOWN BY TOWN—The chart above shows the breakdown by town of the local assessment for SAD44's proposed FY'98 budget. The overall budget will remain the same for the third consecutive year at \$7,017,391, but will require more local money due to a cut in state aid. The first two columns show the total assessment for each town for FY'97 and FY'98. The last two columns show the change to each town (increase or decrease) in dollars and percentage, respectively, from this year.

The following articles will be voted on at the Budget Referendum on May 27. The explanation in italics below each article will not appear on the ballot. More detailed budget information can be found in the Budget Workbook. Questions should be addressed to the superintendent of schools' office at 824-2185.

ARTICLE 2:

Shall the Maine Vocational Region 9's Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for the year 1997-98 be approved in the amount of \$942,880?

(SAD44 assessment: \$185,906)

This is the NOVA assessment to SAD44. It requires passage by a majority of voters in SAD44, SAD21, Peru, Gilead and Upton to be approved.

ARTICLE 3:

Shall the Maine Vocational Region 9's Vocational Budget as approved by the Cooperative Board for Adult Education for the year 1997-98 be approved in the amount of \$260,497?

(SAD44 assessment: \$6,050)

The district is legally required to vote on the overall NOVA Adult Education budget. A small appropriation is made to NOVA Adult Education in order to provide access to that program for SAD44 residents and to support slots in specialized vocational programs such as truck-driving and CNA.

ARTICLE 4:

Shall the District appropriate \$4,577,958 from the foundation allocation for school purposes for the year 1997-98 and shall the District raise \$2,584,901 as the local share of the foundation allocation?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

\$2,584,901 is the money we must raise locally in order for the state to send us \$1,993,057. Any cut in the local share here would result in a corresponding cut from the state allocation.

ARTICLE 5:

Shall the District appropriate \$453,183 from the debt service allocation for the year 1997-98 and shall the District raise \$220,288 as the local share of the debt service allocation?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

This is the local share of the debt service payment for the Crescent Park School.

ARTICLE 6:

Shall the District raise \$1,467,560 in additional local funds under the provisions of 20-A M.R.S.A. 15614 for 1997-98?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

This is the money required to fund the budget in addition to the Foundation Allocation and Debt Service.

ARTICLE 7:

Shall the District authorize the Board of School Directors to expend \$7,017,391 for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1997 and ending June 30, 1998, from the foundation allocation, debt service allocation, unexpended balances, tuition receipts, local appropriations, state subsidy, and other receipts for the support of schools?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

This article authorizes the district to spend the money raised.

ARTICLE 8:

Shall the District appropriate \$181,447 for adult education for the year 1997-98 and shall the District raise \$75,024 as the local share?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

This is the local share of the Adult Education budget which by law must be a separate article.

ARTICLE 9:

In addition to the amounts under Articles 2-8, shall the District authorize the Board of School Directors to make applications for, accept and expend on behalf of the School District all gifts, advances, grants and aid, or other funds for educational purposes received from the U.S. Government, the State of Maine, any private or public agency, or any individual?

Board of Directors recommends a "Yes" vote.

This article allows the district to apply for and expend proceeds of the items listed.

John Wood

**No chimney?
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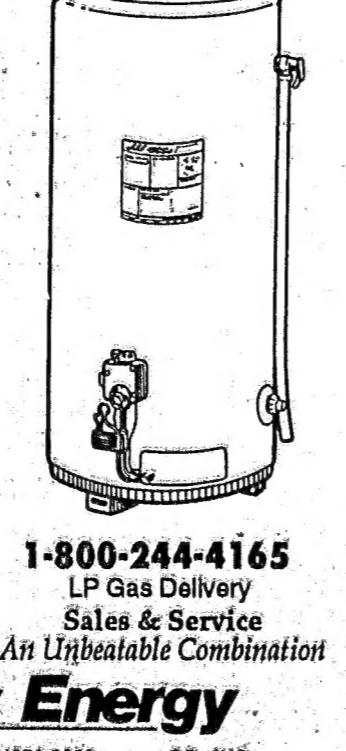
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Bethelby
Phyllis Dock

The past weekend (May 17) Bob and Ginny Keniston attended graduation exercises at the University of Connecticut in Storrs, Conn. Their granddaughter, Shelby McKnight, daughter of Rachel and Ted McKnight of Jericho, Vt., graduated from the School of Family Development with a bachelor of science degree. Other family members attending included her sister Josie and paternal grandparents Theo and Georgiana McKnight of Aurora, Colo.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Chiaraon returned to Massachusetts Friday after selling the house formerly owned by the late Evelyn Reed.

Geraldine Howe is recuperating from a bad fall at her home.

Ivy Philbrook is gaining slowly from her surgeries at Stephens Memorial Hospital, Norway.

Rodney Howe attended the memorial service for Richard Brown on Saturday at Hanover, and on Sunday he attended the funeral of Chester Kimball at the East Bethel Church.

Vita Smith and friend Michael Marton recently visited Vita's grandmother, Alice McAllister.

Susan Viniere visited her grandmother, Barbara Lucas, on Mother's Day weekend; Saturday visitors were Susan Kimball and her fiance, Cliff Perkins of Massachusetts.

Mr. and Mrs. Stuart Cross and son Stuart have returned from their winter home in Florida.

West Bethelby
Karen Jordan

Because the weather remains springlike with cold and rainy days, we often complain and look forward to a warmer time. I try to stay optimistic that we will indeed have a summer. Back in the late 1980s we did survive a dark, cold, wet summer with one weekend reaching the 80-degree mark. Dusk is good for snails and salamanders but people need a few weeks of warm before plunging back into another winter. Don't put the wool socks away just yet and keep those mittens available, you may need them.

Mother called one night recently and invited me out for a chicken meal she likes to make. I always

overeat when she cooks. She is an excellent cook, but, I think the eating has more to do with feelings of being home where my early nurturing took place. I am very lucky to have grown up in the '50s and '60s when mothers stayed home and were always available when kids needed them. When we were hungry and tired we knew mom could fix something wonderful to satisfy our childhood woes. With dad away at work with the only car, mom had to be able to do everything.

My mother has a passion to grow things. Flowers, corn, pigs, you name it and she's probably raised it. She has the best looking lawns and garden on the Flat Road. She acquired her love of digging in the dirt from her mother, Eva Swan, and I got it from the both of them.

One of the greatest things mother did to nurture, teach and keep us off the streets was to take us on nature walks to identify trees, flowers and the rarer plants that grow in this area. We owned a piece of property behind the old Walker farm that went clear down to the Pleasant River. Every few days mother would decide we should walk the overgrown road to look and name the species that grew along the way.

She called them by their scientific names and then told us stories about how they got their common names. The road sloped downward as we neared the river and became darker and more remote. Jack-in-the-pulpit and pitcher plants grew near the river. We felt proud that we knew where to find the rarer plants. There were thousands of dogtooth violets, pink lady slippers and occasionally a white one. I thought the stinkin' Benjamin was the prettiest flower in the forest; later I learned a prettier name, painted trillium.

Back to our visit. After supper mother asked about moose hunting and we all decided to go. We climbed into dad's Ford and headed north on 26 toward Grafton Notch. Dad had been driving that road since the early '50s and knows all about the moose and where they're apt to be hanging around. We had quite a night of it and broke the previous record seen in one outing. We counted 21 moose and four deer between Poplar Tavern and Upton. The moose are shedding and look a bit mangy. The yearlings are not on their own yet. All in all it was a pretty good night.

On the East B Hill Road between Andover and Upton, there is a gorge which Mansfield Packard wrote to me about. After quite a search I found it. It was hidden under a lot of cement and metal. Near the Appalachian Trail crossing one can climb under the bridge for the best view.

East Bethelby
Nancy Mercer

Polly Smith went with Julie Martin of Lewiston for a two-day trip to North Conway, N.H., recently. While they were there, a mother bear and her cub were up a tree in the town. They saw it. When night came, the bears were able to come down and leave.

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Bryant Pondby
Alice Hoyt

Judith Grover Tent 17, Daughters of Union Veterans of the Civil War met at the Grange Hall for a regular meeting on Monday, May 12. Ten members were present. Kathleen McAllister served as junior vice president and

Sally Sawyer as guide. It was voted to pay the annual department and national bills. Memorial Day plans are mostly set. The Memorial service is at the Honor Roll on Monday, May 26, at 1 p.m. Joseph Morin, a veteran, will speak. The essay winner from Woodstock Elementary School will read their essay. The parade will follow the program. Everyone is welcome — school children, scouts (boys and girls), American Legion and V.F.W., and anyone else who would like to march. Ice cream after the parade. There were 28 calls reported. General Orders #2 was read and a note from Eleanor Puglisse. A tasting party was held. Next meeting, June 9, will be a tasting party. Department Convention is June 26 and 27 at the Governor's Best Western in Waterford.

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HEALING ENERGY
The electricity and magnetism that comes out of the human hand, as extraordinary as it may seem, has scientifically been proven to aid in healing broken bones, capillary growth, and nerve regeneration, according to Dr. James Oschman, International lecturer and author of "The Natural Science of Healing." Oschman presented scientific research on the range of frequencies found in the human body and how the human hand acts like a satellite dish for these energy fields, this past Saturday at Crescent Park School. The presentation was sponsored by Adult Education and World Wellness Education, Inc., Bethel's new nonprofit group dedicated to wellness. Here, Ann Smith receives healing energy through a circuit of people.

(Photo by Michael Daniels)



South Woodstock Greenwood City



by
Andrea Wing

Congratulations to one of our South Woodstock neighbors, Charlene Cash, who will receive her associates degree in social service from the University of Maine at Augusta. Charlene has put in many years of hard work to acquire this goal and we wish her much luck and happiness in the future.

Rick and Sally Wing, our son and daughter-in-law, paid us a nice visit for Mother's Day and brought some Mother's Day gifts. Also, our daughter and family, Kellie and Brad Record, Jessie Hart and Linsey Record and Sadie, came up Sunday night for a Mother's Day visit.

Shane Record graduated from the University of Maine in Orono this past Saturday. We wish him much luck in his future endeavors.

Heath Poland has returned home from college in Illinois. Also Sarah Hart has finished her first year at SMTC in Portland.

We finally have hummingbirds at our feeder. Also chipmunks have arrived. I know this means good weather is not far away.

Tim Poland and Perry Ryerson are doing work on our bathroom. Right now it looks impossible, but give them a few days and you won't know the place. They are here bright and early each morning. Wayne Bean is doing the actual plumbing. I hope everyone had a nice and happy Mother's Day.

Larry Billings, curator, Woodstock Historical Society reports that at the May meeting of the society the future of electric power in Maine was discussed. The society voted to make a gift of money to the Grange as a civic project. A picture was donated to the society by Richard Fraser. Members signed up to watch the museum in June.

The June meeting of the society will feature a program on wool-weaving.

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by
Colista Morgan

One of the warmer days I went for a walk up the bulldozer road. In places it was a bit wet and I heard the sound of running water. There was no fragrance of soil but I found a few spring flowers, the red trillium and the dogtooth violet, but now called the trout lily. When I was a child the trillium was called stinking Benjamin. A flower with that evocative name made me want to smell it. The only plant with a more offensive odor is skunk cabbage. Looking down on the trillium the blossom looms up like a six pointed star, three toned and I always welcome them among the first flowers.

Busy birds sang their sweet songs. The newcomers this week are the rose-breasted grosbeak, hummingbird, and oriole. No thrushes yet. I'm just waiting to hear those marvelous singers, whose pure ethereal notes thrill a listener.

Without the tree leaves I had a wide view and a feeling of distance and space. From over the pond came the calls of the water birds.

I reached home to be greeted by the swallows rising and falling in a revolving wheel telling me that summer progresses like a long sentence with a bright mark at the end, making me tingle.

I have heard from Milton and

Eleanor and they have had a pleasant trip thus far.

We are sorry to hear that Mr. Chojnacki had to return to the hospital.

Mr. and Mrs. Steven Cogswell of Freeport visited Rena Curtis on Sunday.

David, Ann, Mary and I were at the farm on Sunday. Marian Pulsifer was ill this last week.

Dot Betts had a surprise one morning, early. A moose came to say, "Good Morning" to her. She got a few good pictures.

Songo Pond



by
Alice Kimball

How green is our valley. Thundershower rolled over this area Thursday night but has not brought out the new green leaves yet.

Mother's Day visitors here were Mrs. Dottie Adams of Hanover, her daughter Erin of Portland and friend Daryl Gurney, Ethel and Craig Turner and Daisy from Otisfield, Sarah Bean from Windham and Amber Bean, who has finished her year at UVM.

Kaitlyn Gatchell of Portland spent the weekend here. Norma and David took her home Sunday and also visited Brandon and Sara Salway in Old Orchard Beach, where he is recovering from a ruptured Achilles

tendon.

Mrs. Dottie Adams drove me to Portland Thursday for medical tests and check-up.

The Albany Church at Hunt's Corner is now holding Sunday services at 9:30 Sunday mornings through September.

Sometimes we are so busy adding up our troubles that we forget to count our blessings.

Andover



by
Karen McKay

Jane Reed entertained 12 members of the East Andover Community Club on May 12 with Marjorie Towne co-hostess.

After the luncheon a short business meeting was held. President Barbara Meissner reported that the cookbook had been sent to the publishers. She will present the senior award at the Alumni Banquet on May 31.

Secretary Dottie Arsenault reported on many special cards sent out including birthday, birth con-

gratulations, sympathy and get well. Treasurer Violet Swain delivered a fruit plate to Phyllis Farrar, who had been hospitalized. A special card was signed for Charlotte Sennett who had fallen recently, injuring several ribs.

Beatrice Schneider won the door prize. The June 9 meeting will be at the home of the secretary with Glenna Allen assisting.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Stinson, their two daughters, Joan Carney and Donna Gagné, planned to leave May

21 to attend the wedding of Jean Stinson Shafer's daughter, Allison, in Caledonia, Mich.

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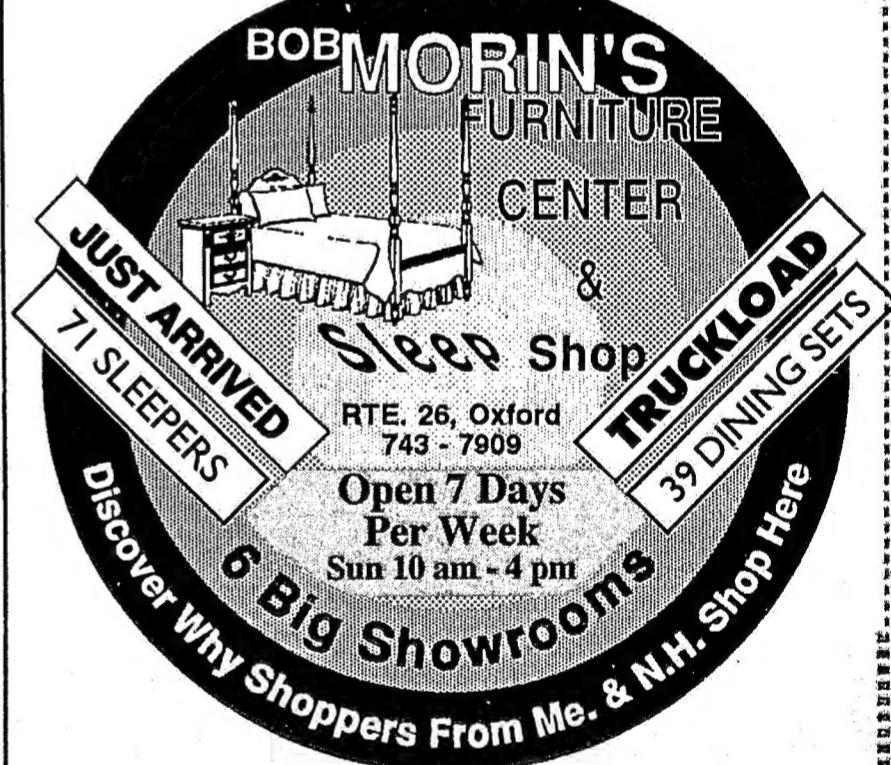
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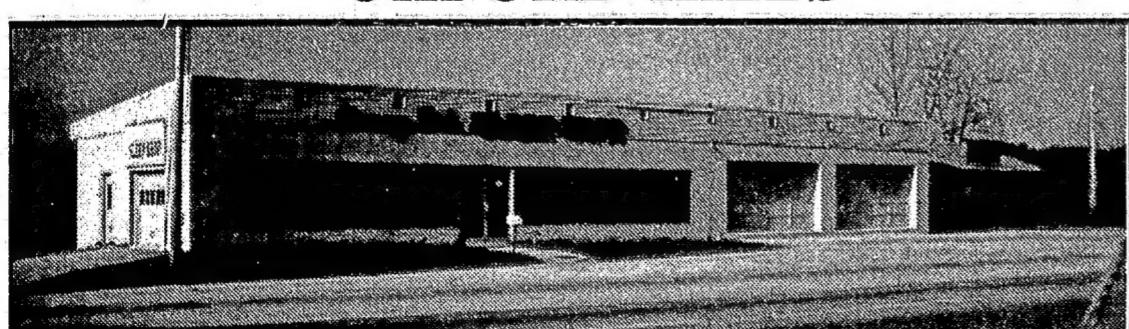
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BETHEL SENIORS

On May 14, members of the Bethel Senior Citizens Club met at The Town and Country in Gorham, N.H., with 80 present for the 35th annual meeting.

Helen Saunders, president, conducted the meeting, led the salute to the flag and dedicated the meeting to the memory of Harold Powell, former member and officer, who is greatly missed.

Reports were read by secretary Barbara H. Brown, treasurer Colleen Boyd, fundraising Rudy Royer who reported that the Silver Jars are coming in and more expected. Joanne Royer circulated a lovely May basket that was made by several members and won by Honey Bailey. Mellen Kimball won the door prize.

Jane Hosterman read a few jokes and announced that the next bus trip to Portland Headlight will be June 23. More about it later.

Joanne Wilson joined the club and celebrated a May birthday with Elsie Bennett, Barbara Brown, Cecile Ebert, Joan Howe, Harlan Hutchins, Earlon Keniston, Marion Kimball, Mellen Kimball, Lois Leavitt, Priscilla (Tillie) Myers, Rudolph Royer, Arthur Taber, Louise Twitchell, Donald Vautour, Kenneth Wakefield and Marie Witter.

Ethel Ward is now at Ledgeview; others not well are Georgie Butters, Bob Davis, Irene Onofrio, Camilla Everett, Tom Kennagh, Ethelyn Caillouet in Florida and Joyce Bennett.

After a blessing by Rudy Royer, an excellent chicken dinner was served along with ice cream and a beautiful May cake with real flowers by the Hometown Bakery.

Slim Turner and the Old Settlers, comprised of Rudy Royer, Don Vautour, Ed Hall, Stan Durgin and Lester Wing entertained with old favorite and accompanied the group singing.

The next meeting of the club will be held on June 11 at Park Place, Route 120, Rumford. A buffet (\$8) will be served following the 11 a.m. meeting.

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Jackson-Silver Post and Unit #68

The newly elected officers of the Jackson-Silver American Legion family were installed on May 15.

Vito DeFilipp, past national vice commander, assisted by Ed Roach, past department commander, as sgt. at arms and Carolyn Brooks as chaplain, inducted the Post officers into their respective offices. They are: sgt. at arms, Ken Hoyt; Americanism officer and 2nd vice commander, Roland Lord; service officer, Nick Clements; historian and adjutant, Earl Tyler; chaplain, Rodney Hanscom; finance officer, Richard Cross; 1st vice commander, Dan Grover; and commander, Delma McMillin.

Upon assuming his office, Commander McMillin gave a little of his military background. Not long after graduating from Gould Academy, trying to escape a job he didn't like, he enlisted in the Air Force and found himself on the way to Texas. Subsequently, in his 20 years of military service he moved to 13 different duty assignments. He described his life then as being on duty 24 hours a day and never knowing in which of those 24 hours he might be called upon to put his life on the line. He felt that those who have not been in that situation cannot quite understand the feeling of this constant state of readiness and danger.

One of the Junior members, Jamie Johnson, had been at the hospital in Portland with her mother, Carolyn, all day but arrived in time to be installed with the rest of the Junior Auxiliary members and the Senior mem-

bers. This was done by Jeri Greenwell, past national vice president, assisted by Ann Kezal, past district president, and Ramona Grover, past district alternate to the president. Junior sgt. at arms is Abigail Hutchins, who was installed with her Senior counterpart, Bethany Lyon. The new junior historian is Jamie Johnson, who is also the new secretary; senior historian is Nancy Grover, Jaime Grover is the new Junior treasurer and vice president and Martha Grover is the incoming president. Other Senior officers are: chaplain, Martha Stowell; treasurer, Vera Cross; secretary, Olive Risko; 2nd vice president, Ada Cummings; 1st vice president, Honey Bailey; and the new president is Evanna Davis. The Junior chaplain, Megan Bailey, who is the newest Auxiliary member, will be installed when she returns from a trip.

Following all the installations, refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

In the meetings which followed, the Post agreed to let the Oxford Pomona Grange have use of the hall for a benefit supper and dance on July 1. The Unit also agreed to the use of the kitchen for this purpose and agreed to provide something else to the little girl, Andria Damon.

Members of Post and Unit will be taking part in Memorial Day services on Sunday, May 25, at noon in Newry and the following day at Locke Mills, East Bethel and Bryant Pond, starting at 8:30 a.m. in Locke Mills.

BETHEL AREA POETS

The Bethel Area Poets Society's monthly poetry reading will be held on Thursday, May 29, from 7 to 9 p.m. at the Bethel Bagel and Deli. (The meeting is being held on the fifth Thursday this month).

Facilitators Dorothy Duddy and Rockie Graham encourage all interested poets and poetry lovers to attend, read their own work or the work of others and enjoy an evening of extreme pleasure. New poets are encouraged to attend. People are also welcome to just come and enjoy the reading.

The Bethel Area Poets Society will be meeting regularly so that members can read and critique each other's work. New members are always welcome. Those interested in more information should call Dorothy Duddy at 527-2138, or Rockie Graham at 824-3427.

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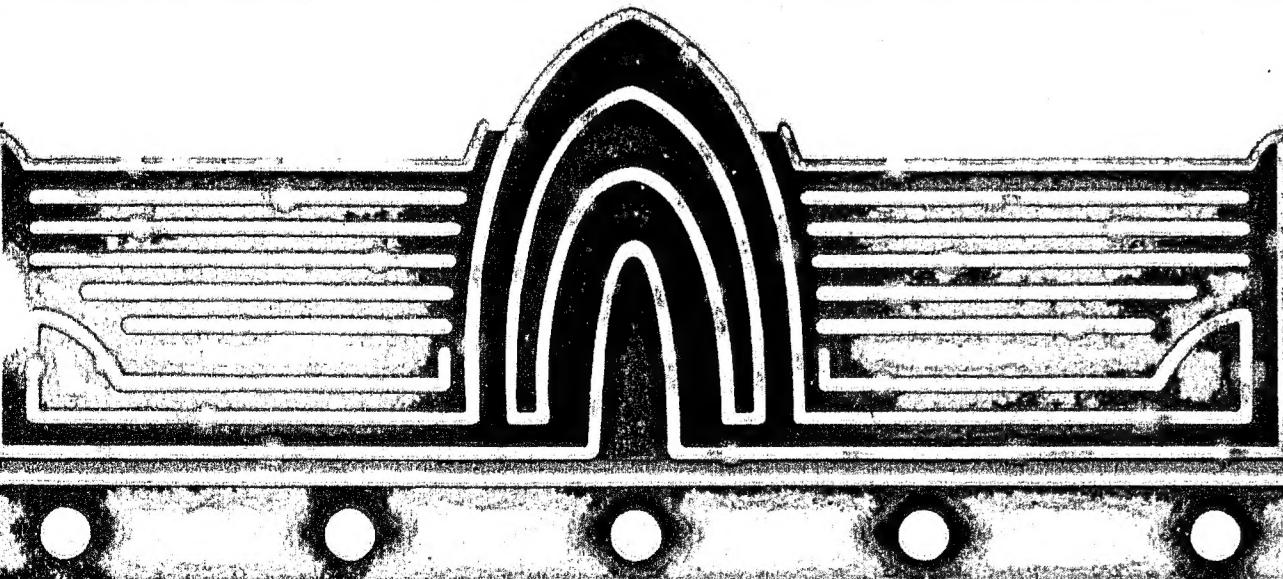
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The following pupils have been named to the Telstar Middle School honor roll for the fourth term.

Grade Six

First Honors: Gregory Bove, Shannon Fyberg, William Murphy. **Second Honors:** Ian Andrews, Kathryn Caddigan, Spencer Cowin, Michelle Deegan, Anthony Delfilio, Benjamin Dohrmann, Charles Dresser, Adam Dumont, Kinsey Durgin, Camden Elliott-Williams, Sarah Gamble, Jeffrey Gavett, Lauren Hart, Ashley Hautaniemi, Kristina Koskela, Mary Lawrence, Misty Lipps, Cassandra Mason, Christian Morgan, Daniel Morgan, Ashley Oliver, Kane Olson, Wade Osgood, Laura Pivin, Elizabeth Reed, John Reuter, Christopher Robinson, Adam Tanguay, Erin Tripp, Darcy Tyler, Heather Zimmerman, Brian Zinchuk.

Grade Seven

First Honors: Chelsea Marshall,

ANDOVER ALUMNI BANQUET

Saturday, May 31, has been set as the date for the annual banquet for members and friends of the Andover Alumni Association, with this year's honored guests being graduates of the Class of 1947 at Andover High School and members of Telstar's Class of 1997.

It will be held at the elementary school on Pine Street, and tickets for the evening's activities (\$10/person) will be available at the door as well as through reservations sent to: Andover Alumni Association, PO Box 394, Andover, ME 04216.

A social hour from 5 to 6 p.m. will begin the evening festivities, followed by a baked ham dinner from 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Founded in 1929, the Andover Alumni Association has met annually, with the exception of a

single year during wartime. In keeping with the tradition, there will be a brief business meeting after the banquet and the presentation of awards to middle and high school students.

Robert Spidell, an AHS graduate and resident of Anaheim, Calif., will be guest speaker. Well known for his support of the Andover Educational Fund, Spidell's talk is expected to contain both wit and wisdom. His older brother Howard and sister-in-law Ruth are members of Telstar's Class of 1947.

Historically, an Andover alumni banquet wouldn't be complete without entertainment, earlier in the form of odes and original poems, and on May 31 Ross Swain will provide his distinctive brand of ragtime music.

Mike Huppe '97, who starred in last winter's production of "Don't Drink the Water," returns to the Gould stage as Pseudolus and is joined by veteran Gould performers Adrian Anderson '98 as Hero; Mike Rose '97 as Senex; and Gardner Halsey '99 as the buyer and seller of courtesans, Marcus Lycus. Newcomers to the Gould stage include Leigh Woodbury '98 as Philia; Reid Bullens-Crewe '00 as Domina; Mike Ricker '97 as the high-strung chief slave, Hysterium; Robin Gherter '99 as Erronius; and Matt Carter '97 as Miles Gloriosus.

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Paul Nelson is the musical director for the show and Elizabeth Nelson created the costumes. The performances will be held in Bingham Auditorium and are free and open to the public. Shows on both Friday and Saturday nights begin at 7:30 p.m. Actors Mike Rose, Mike Ricker and Reid Bullens-Crewe are pictured above.



SCHOOL LUNCH MENU WEEK OF MAY 26

SAD44 Breakfast Program

Monday: Holiday
Tuesday: Pancakes (2), fruit juice, milk.

Wednesday: Pancakes (2), fruit juice, milk.

Thursday: Entree choice, fruit juice, milk.

Friday: Cereal choices, toast, fruit juice, milk.

SAD44 Lunch Program

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Wednesday: Pepperoni pizza or beef ravioli, bread and butter opt., garden peas, chilled or fresh fruit, milk variety.

Thursday: Shake and Bake chicken pieces, whipped potato, steamed broccoli, hot biscuit, chilled peaches, milk variety.

Friday: Ham Italian sandwich, bag of potato chips, fresh and hot veggie choice, chilled and fresh fruit, milk variety.

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Simon is the son of Francis and Barbara Dumont of West Bethel. Camden is the son of Bob Elliott and Patricia Williams of Woodstock.

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NOTES FROM ADULT EDUCATION

The 1997 graduation ceremony for SAD44 Adult Education will be held on Thursday, May 22, at the Bethel Inn Conference Center beginning at 7:30 p.m. Ann Holt will be the graduation speaker and Kelly Scotti, chair of the SAD44 Board of Directors, will present diplomas to the graduates. A reception for graduates, families and friends will follow the ceremony.

GOULD'S GOODMAN TO TRAIN AT US SKI TEAM CAMP

Gould Academy junior Christa Goodman has been invited by the United States Ski Team's development program to train at a super-g and downhill "speed" camp this summer in Bend, Oregon. Under the direction of national team coaches, the June 8-18 camp gives the top junior racers in the United States an opportunity to hone their skills in the off season.

"I am very anxious and I really don't know what to expect," commented Goodman. "I don't want to have my expectations too high, or too low." She calls this "a first big step" towards her goal of one day being named to the U.S. Ski Team.

Goodman is one of five young women nationwide born in 1980 to be invited to the camp. Invitations were issued based on performance this season.

Goodman's season included a 14th place finish in giant slalom in the Canadian Spring Series. Goodman also placed second among 15 and 16 year-olds in slalom at the Eastern Junior Olympics. Her current International Ski Federation (F.I.S.) points ranking for giant slalom is 58.

Athletes will train for the super-g and downhill events at Bend's Mt. Bachelor ski Area. Both events are characterized by the high speeds achieved—often over 60 miles per hour. Junior Racers will learn to adjust for different types of terrain while maintaining these high speeds.

An honor roll student, Goodman grew up in Marquette, Mich., and began racing with the Marquette Mountain Racing Team when she was eight. Goodman is currently coached by Kurt Simard at Gould.

"This is an important opportunity for Christa," said Simard. "The U.S. Ski Team has selected only the nation's best junior racers to this camp. This clearly identifies Christa as someone with great potential in racing."



'A Funny Thing ...' at Gould

Gould Academy's student players will perform the classic musical comedy "A Funny Thing Happened on the Way to the Forum" on Friday, May 23, and Saturday, May 24.

Described by director Doug Alford as "a bawdy romp through ancient Rome," the play centers around the attempts of Pseudolus, a slave, to gain his freedom by procuring for his master, Hero, the object of his desire, a courtesan named Philia.

Philia, however, has been promised to a Roman captain, Miles Gloriosus. Pseudolus' elaborate plans to deliver her to Hero instead are derailed by the return of Hero's parents, Senex and Domina, and Erronius, a neighbor who has been away on a 20-year search for his missing children, and a series of comic mishaps ensues that will have the audience roaring with laughter.

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(3) Seinfeld	Mad-You	Movie: "Flashback"			News	Real TV	Mad-You	M*A*S*H		
(32) Waltons	Highway to Heaven	Rescue 911		700 Club		Three Stooges				
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Friends	3rd Rock	Seinfeld	Men-Body	ER		News		
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	High Incident	Vital Signs		Turning Point		News			
(10) News-Lehrer	Maine	Maine	Mystery!	Dangerfield		Upstairs, Downstairs				
(22) Sportsctr.	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Western Final Game 4 -- Avalanche at Red Wings		Baseball	Sportscenter						
(34) Dukes of Hazzard	Burning Thunder	Prime Time Country	Today's Country	Dallas						
(13) Ent. Tonight	M*A*S*H	Diagnosis Murder	Moloney	48 Hours		News				
(41) DIRT	Speed	In Their Prime		This Week in NASCAR	DIRT	Pennant				
(15) "Top Gun"	Movie: "Dunston Checks In"	Movie: "Under Siege 2: Dark Territory"		Lock-Up: Prison						
(17) Movie: "The Sword in the Stone"	Rodgers-Ham-Cinderella	Movie: "Where Angels Go, Trouble Follows"								
(18) Young Sherlock Holmes	Movie: "Taxi Driver"		Breathing	Movie: "Nemesis 3: Time Lapse"						
(20) Major League Baseball: New York Mets at Philadelphia Phillies		FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News							
(44) Breaking Through	Unsolved Mysteries	Movie: "Body of Evidence"		Homicide: Life						
(5) Videos	Videos	Movie: "Cobra"		Movie: "Delta Force 2"						
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Alex Mack	Happy D	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Newhart	Odd Couple	Taxi	M.T. Moore	
(25) Marlene	Movie: "The Spoilers"			Movie: "The Master of Ballantrae"	Movie: "The Sins of Rachel Cade"					
(26) Highlander: The Series	Murder, She Wrote	Movie: "Uncle Buck"			Silk Stalkings					
(27) Law & Order	Biography	Ancient Mysteries		Unexplained	Law & Order					
(12) Fam. Mat.	Bzzz!	Movie: "Edward Scissorhands"		News	Wiseguy					
(39) Moneyline	Crossfire	Prime News	Burden	Larry King Live	World Today	Sports Illus.	Moneyline			

SUNDAY EVENING MAY 25, 1997										
	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
(3) Movie:	"The Mosquito Coast"			Viper		News	M*A*S*H	Babylon 5		
(32) Movie:	"The Night of the Twisters"			"Hawaii Five-O: Three Dead Cows at Makapu"			Remington Steele			
(6) Dateline		3rd Rock	Movie: "Mr. Saturday Night"				News	Outer Limits		
(8) Videos	Videos	To Be Announced	Murder One				News	Paid Prog.		
(10) National Geo.		National Memorial Day Concert		Masterpiece Theatre				Patch-Blue		
(22) Sportsctr.	Baseball	Major League Baseball: Boston Red Sox at New York Yankees					Sportscenter			
(34) In-Fish	Outdoors	Go Fish!	Back Road	Champ, Bull Riding	Raceday	NHRA	NASCAR	Road		
(13) 60 Minutes		Touched by an Angel	"Thicker Than Blood: The Larry McLinden Story"				News			
(41) Turner Cup Playoffs: Conference Finals -- Teams to Be Announced				Pennant	Futbol	NBA Action	Celtics			
(15) "Clueless"	Happily	Movie: "Patriot Games"			Movie: "Weapons of Mass Distraction"					
(17) Movie:	"Tall Tale"		Movie: "Robin Hood"		Movie: "Out of Africa"					
(18) Ace Ventura		Movie: "The Last Boy Scout"			Movie: "Die Hard With a Vengeance"					
(20) In-Line Skating		Pro Beach Volleyball: AVP			FOX Sports News	FOX Sports News				
(44) "Message From Nam"	Movie: "Message From Nam"			Intimate Portrait			One West Waikiki			
(5) Auto Racing: NASCAR Winston Cup -- Coca-Cola 600 Cont'd					Movie: "Cobra"					
(24) Kenan-Kel	My Brother	Wubbulous	Nick News	Happy D	Munsters	Odd Couple	Van Dyke	Newhart	Newhart	
(25) Red Ball	Attractions	Movie: "Von Ryan's Express"			Movie: "The Story of Dr. Wassell"					
(26) "Sea of Love" Cont'd		Pacific Blue		Silk Stalkings	Big Easy		Silk Stalkings			
(27) Guide to Historic Homes	Biography				America's Castles		Mysteries of the Bible			
(12) Brotherly	Nick Freno	Parent	Harvey	Unhappily	With Roger	News	Replay	Riches	Buffy	
(39) Capital	Crossfire	Prime News	Sports Illus.	Impact	World Today		Sports Illus.	NBA Wk.		

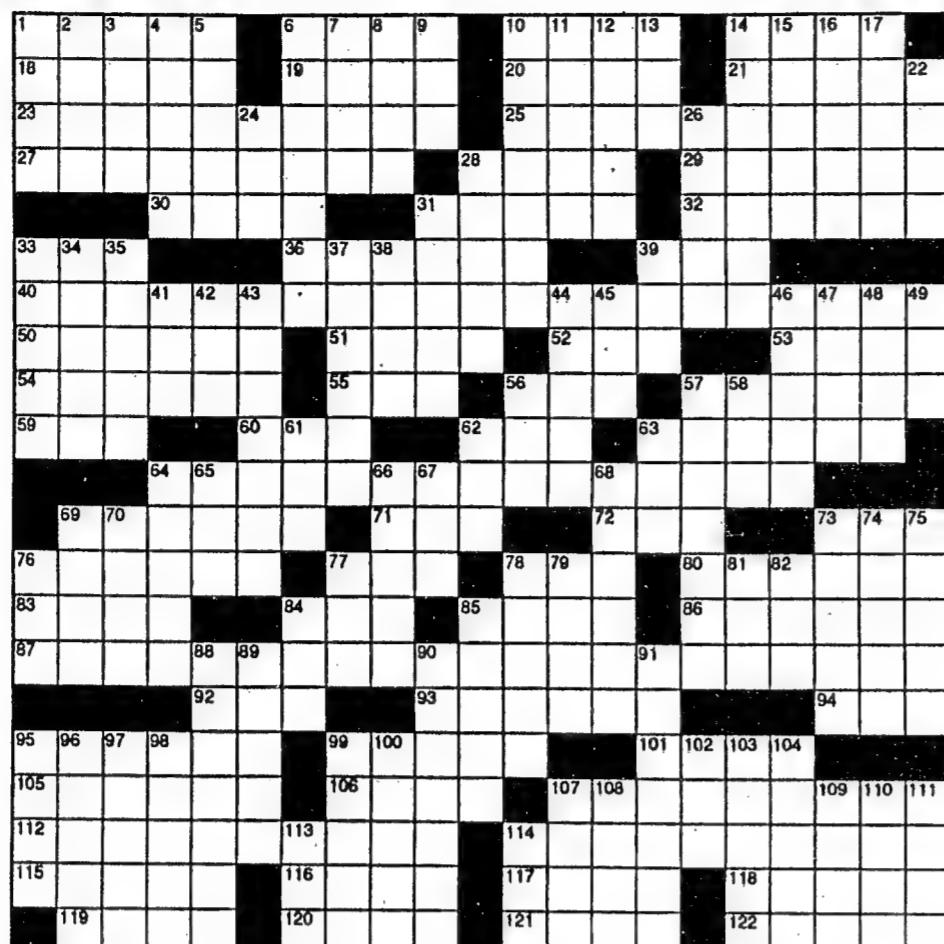
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(32) Waltons	Luau: Home & Family	Rescue 911		700 Club		Three Stooges				
(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Unsolved Mysteries	Dateline	Prolifer		News				
(8) Minor League Baseball: New Britain at Portland	Sabrina	Step-Step	20/20		News					
(10) News-Lehrer	Wash. Wk.	Wall St.	Keeping Up	Mulberry	Thin Blue	Fawley T.	Upstairs, Downstairs			
(22) Sportsctr.	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Eastern Final Game 4 -- Flyers at Rangers		Baseball	Sportscenter						
(34) Dukes of Hazzard	Auto Racing: Channellock Spring Classic			Dallas						
(13) Ent. Tonight	M*A*S*H	JAG	JAG	Nash Bridges		News				
(41) Futbol	USISL Soccer: Richmond at Connecticut		Pro Beach Soccer	Planet X	Surfing					
(15) "The Arrival" Cont'd	Movie: "Down Periscope"	Comedy	Movie: "Behind Enemy Lines"	Dennis M.						
(17) "The Worst Witch"	Movie: "Hocus Pocus"		Movie: "Return From Witch Mountain"	"Dune"						
(18) Movie: "Mr. White" Cont'd	Movie: "Bottle Rocket"	Scenes	Movie: "The Juror"							
(20) Front Row	Auto Racing: ARCA Easy Care Certified 200	Front Row	FOX Sports News		FOX Sports News					
(44) Wire	Wire	Dish	Dates	Movie: "The Favor"		Breaking Through				
(5) Videos	Videos	Movie: "Summer Rental"		Major League Baseball: Braves at Dodgers						
(24) Doug	Rugrats	Kablam!	Happy D	I Love Lucy	Bewitched	Newhart	Odd Couple	Taxi	M.T. Moore	
(25) "To Hell and Back"	Hollywood Commandos	Movie: "Von Ryan's Express"			Beast-Fathoms					
(26) Highlander: The Series	Movie: "K-9"		La Femme Nikita	Movie: "Private School"						
(27) Law & Order	Biography		Guide to Historic Homes of America	Law & Order						
(12) Fam. Mat.	Major League Baseball: Chicago Cubs at Cincinnati Reds		News	Wiseguy						
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(6) Home Imp.	Seinfeld	Dateline	Foxworthy	Foxworthy	Movie: "Abducted: A Father's Love"		News			
(8) Fortune	Jeopardy!	To Be Announced	Murder One			News				
(10) News-Lehrer	True North	RFD Maine	American Experience			Upstairs, Downstairs				
(22) Sportsctr.	Stanley Cup Playoffs: Western Final Game 6 -- Avalanche at Red Wings		Baseball	Sportscenter						
(34) Dukes of Hazzard	Today's Country		Hello Darlin': A Tribute to Conway Twitty		Dallas					
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COMMUNITY CALENDAR

Activities

May 9-31--Gould Academy art students' display at Owen Art Gallery, weekdays from 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., weekends by appointment (824-7707). Free.

Wednesday, May 21, 5:30 p.m.--MetLife will present a free educational seminar for those who are retiring or changing careers and expect to receive a lump sum distribution, 5:30 p.m. at Sheraton Tara, 363 Main Mall Road, South Portland. Reservations required. Call 772-3767.

Thursday, May 22, 1 p.m.--Bake Sale (pies, cakes, breads) at United Methodist Church, Main Street, Bethel. For special orders call 824-2661.

Adult Education Graduation at Bethel Inn Conference Center, 7:30 p.m. Reception following ceremony.

Explorations Art Exhibit, 2:30 to 6:30 p.m. at the Summit Hotel, Sunday River Ski Resort.

Saturday, May 24--Faye Taylor Memorial Art Show at Bethel Historical Society, Broad Street, Bethel, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Woodland Cemetery clean-up day.

Sunday, May 25, 1 p.m.--Meeting at Albany Town Hall to address the issue of the proposed Bingo Hall on West Bethel Road, Albany.

Memorial Day Breakfast at Stoneham Rescue Barn, 7 to 10:30 a.m.

Wednesday, May 28, 6:30 p.m.--Crescent Park School Spring Concert. The concert will have a patriotic theme and will be held in the gymnasium.

Thursday, May 29, 7 to 9 p.m.--Bethel Area Poets Society reading at Bethel Bagel and Deli, Main Street. For information call Dorothy Duddy at 527-2138 or Rockie Graham at 824-3427.

Friday, May 30--Telstar Middle School Spring Fling, sponsored by Friends of Telstar Middle School.

Saturday, May 31, 9 to 11 a.m.--Bethel Library Perennial Plant Sale at Bethel Fire Station. For information or donations, call Betsy Raymond (824-2261) or Nancy Hansen (824-4095). Used paperback books will also be on sale.

Rabies Clinic, 9 to 11 a.m., Bear River Grange, Newry (\$8/shot). Everyone welcome.

Bike Safety Rodeo, 12:30 to 3 p.m. at Telstar High School by SAD44 Wellness Team in cooperation with Western Regional Council on Addiction and Maine Safety Coalition and State Farm Insurance.

Grand Opening and Lilac Festival, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. at the Bernard McLaughlin perennial garden in South Paris. Formal ribbon cutting at 10 a.m. and horticultural workshops after. Music, box lunches available, selected perennials on sale, raffle drawn at 4 p.m. Suggested donation \$10. For information call 743-8820. Rain date: Sunday, June 1.

Andover Alumni Banquet (\$10/person) at Andover Elementary School, Pine Street. Social hour, 5 to 6 p.m., banquet, 6 to 7:30 p.m.

Sunday, June 1--Ellis River Riders Horse Show, Airport

Church Services

Bethel

West Parish Congregational--Rev. Brendon Bass and Rev. Jean Bass, 10:30 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided. Prayer, Tuesday, 8 a.m.

Church of the Nazarene--Rev. John Grant, 9:30 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. morning worship, 6 p.m. evening service.

Our Lady of the Snows--Rev. Lawrence Conley, Mass-Saturday, 4:30 p.m.

Bethel Alliance Church--Rev. Richard Mowery, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

United Methodist--Rev. Henry S. Nickerson, Pastor, 4:30 p.m. Saturday worship service; 10 a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School. Nursery care provided.

West Bethel Union--Pastor Joyce Scott, 9 a.m. worship and church school.

Pleasant Valley Bible--Pastor Clifford McMullen, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10 a.m. worship.

Episcopal House Church--at Bohrs' on 38 Chapman Street, 4 p.m., fourth Sunday of each month. 824-2913.

Church of Christ--at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mill Road (Rt. 26), Bethel. Worship at 10 a.m. Sunday, Bible study at 11 a.m. 824-3577.

Woodstock

Bryant Pond Baptist--Rev. Lincoln Hanson, 9:15 a.m. Sunday school, 10:30 a.m. worship service, 6 p.m. evening service.

Woodstock Seventh-day Adventist--Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school, 11 a.m. worship service.

Unitarian Universalist--Sunday worship service, 9 a.m., second and fourth Sunday of each month.

Andover

First Congregational Church--Pastor Jane Rich, 10 a.m. Sunday

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Rape Ed. and Crisis Hotline 1-800-622-2365. Sexual abuse helpline, 743-9777. Past or present victims of abuse.

Exchanges

District Exchange--Open every Monday 1-4 p.m., Thursday, 4-6 p.m. and the first Saturday of each month from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m. at the Ethel Bisbee School, Bethel. Clothing on sale, food available for those in need.

Community Service Center--Supplies available for emergencies and disaster relief at Thurlow Hall, Perkins Valley Road, South Woodstock. For aid or information call 674-2663.

Safe Hangouts

After school safe hangout in the multi-purpose room of the United Methodist Church in Bethel from

worship service. Religious education: Monday-Sunday School 2:45-4:15 p.m. beginning Oct. 21.

Calvary Congregational Church--Winter hours: worship service 10:45 a.m., fellowship brunch following. Sunday School 9:30-10:30 a.m. Wed. nights, Bible study and prayer meeting, 6:45 p.m. Rev. Duane Waite.

Locke Mills

Locke Mills Union--Rev. Deborah M. Jenks, 9 a.m. worship and Sunday school.

East Stoneham

East Stoneham Congregational--Rev. Janice Wilcox, 10 a.m. worship in February, April, June, August, October and December. 9 a.m. church school (Oct.-June).

Newry

Newry Community Church--Sunday worship service, 9 a.m. Rodney H. Hanscom, pastor.

Albany

Congregational Church - Hunt's Corner, 9:30 a.m. Sunday summer worship, March 30 through September. Pastor Eddie Gammon.

Norway/Paris

Christian Science Society (9 Stevens St.)-- Sunday Service 10 a.m., Wed. Testimony Service 7:30 p.m. Call 824-4099 for info.

Trinity Evangelical Lutheran Church--Route 117N, S. Paris, 9 a.m. Sunday school, 10:15 a.m. worship followed by coffee fellowship. Summer service 9 a.m.

West Paris Baptist--Pastor Gordon DeHaas. Sunday worship 9 a.m., 6:45 p.m. Sunday School 10:15 a.m.

North Paris Baptist--Sunday worship 10:30 a.m.

Rumford Point

Rumford Point Church--Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Rev. Deborah Jenks.

Reach

2:30 to 5:30 p.m., Mon.-Fri. Music, computer access, help with homework. Telstar students welcome. For more info, see Tim Nickerson or Jessica Coolidge.

Abused Women's Advocacy Project

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Veterans' Services

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Maine Veterans Home, S. Paris, first and third Wednesday each month, 9 to 12 a.m.; Rumford Employ. Sec. Bldg. (364-3718), second and fourth Thursday, 9 to 12 a.m.; Lewiston (795-4590), 200 Main St., 7:30 a.m. to 4 p.m., Monday thru Friday.

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School sports

High School Varsity Baseball

Telstar 18, Dirigo 2; May 19--Jason Berry had a home run and a double as the Rebels beat Dirigo. Tony Baker, and Jeremy Lapham had doubles, and Jason Mullen got the win on the mound. Telstar is rated second in Western Class C in the latest Heal Point ratings.

Hebron 15, Gould 3; May 17--Amos Hause-Rogers hit a triple, and B.J. Otton picked up two RBI's in the game, but Gould was defeated by Hebron in the first game of the Maine Association of Independent Schools' varsity baseball tournament.

Kents Hill 11, Gould 1; May 17--Despite having outscored Kents Hill 31-6 in the first two meetings of the season between the two teams, Gould fell to them on Saturday in the second game of the MAISAD tournament. Eugene Covington had Gould's lone RBI, and Jay Fulchino got his first hit of the season.

Hebron 13, Gould 0; May 14--Hebron was dominant in last Wednesday's game on Gould's home field, soundly defeating the Huskies, whose regular season record dropped to 2-5 with the loss. Ian Paquette had Gould's only extra-base hit, a double.

Telstar 12, Winthrop 0; May 15--Telstar scored eight runs in the first inning in a win over Winthrop. Clint Myers drove in two runs on three hits and Tony Baker had two hits and a stolen base, also in the first inning. Nate

Whitworth, Wade Luxton, Jason Berry, Jason Mullen, and Tim Hebert collected the other five hits for the Rebels. Hebert went the distance on the mound, allowing just five hits and one walk while striking out seven. Jeremy Curley led the defense with several fine plays.

Telstar 21, Jay 4; May 14--Jason Rosenberg pitched his first varsity baseball game and came home with a complete game victory as the Rebels beat Jay. He allowed just three earned runs on five hits while walking two and striking out eight. Telstar pounded out 20 hits, including doubles by Wade Luxton, Jason Mullen, and Tim Hebert, and solo home runs by Whitworth and Luxton. Tony Baker and Luxton each had five RBIs.

Telstar 8, Leavitt 5; May 13--Wade Luxton hit a three-run homer in the bottom of the seventh to give Telstar a win over Leavitt. Neil Thurlow pitched the first five innings, scattering six hits and allowing just two earned runs. Clint Myers came on to pitch the last two innings. Jeremy Lapham had two singles and Tim Hebert one. Hustle on the basepaths by Jason Mullen plated a key run in the third. Jason Berry was outstanding behind the plate, keeping the ball in front of him to deny Leavitt runs.

J.V. Baseball

Mountain Valley 13, Gould 11; May 17--Jeremy Cowin and Chris Brooks split the pitching duties, and Cowin and Justin Gray each had two hits and two RBI's in a close game at Mountain Valley Saturday. According to Coach Marc Small, "Everyone on the team contributed in this hard-fought loss."

Telstar 10, Gould 4; May 14--Grayson Wakfield had three hits and got the win on the mound in relief as the Rebels defeated the Huskies. Scott Groves, Josh Dakin, Chad Bean and Kier Simmons each had two hits for Telstar. For Gould, Lucas Sauberschwartz had three singles and three RBIs. "Grayson had an excellent game at bat and on the mound," said Telstar coach Charlie Newell, "Tate Lacey pitched well for Gould."

High School Varsity Softball

Telstar 4, Dirigo 3; May 19--Dani Littlehale scored two ones -- one the game-winner in the seventh inning on a wild pitch -- as the Rebels defeated Dirigo. Toni Vacca had two hits, including driving in Sarah Richardson with the tying run in the seventh. Sarah Richardson led off the seventh by singling sharply through the shortstop. Jen Walker drove in Beth Howe with a sacrifice fly in the third. She also limited Dirigo to four hits and walked only two to earn the win on the mound. Telstar is third in Western Class C in the latest Heal Point ratings.

Gould 11, Telstar J.V. 8; May 17--Amanda Madore picked up three RBI's with a home run and a double, Megan Edgar had four hits, including a double, and Jenny Wheeler hit a double as Gould defeated the Telstar J.V. softball team on Saturday. Amy Hebert, Sam Mullen and Heather Roderick had doubles and Sarah Papak had four hits for Telstar.

Hebron 12, Gould 3; May 14--Gould's season record dropped to 3-3 with a

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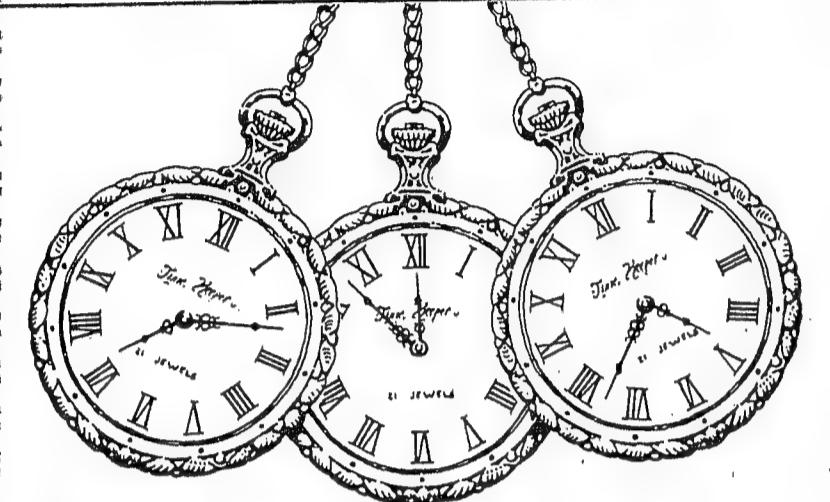
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MENINGITIS	Hib ^b										
HEPATITIS B	HBV										
MEASLES, MUMPS, RUBELLA	MMR										
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TETANUS	Td										

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Town of Greenwood PUBLIC HEARING

The Board of Selectmen will hold a public hearing on June 3, 1997 at 5:00 pm at the Municipal Building, Bird Hill Rd., Locke Mills, ME.

To act on the application for the renewal of the Class XI Spirituous, Vinous & Malt, Restaurant/Lounge License as filed by the American Legion - Jackson Silver Post #68, Gore Road, Locke Mills, ME.

Lloyd Decato - Town Manager

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1990 Dodge 3/4 Ton, 4x4, V8, auto, am/fm radio, 8' Fishe Plow, 65K miles. \$9,995
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OVEREATERS ANONYMOUS, Bethel Area Health Center. For information call 824-2949, 824-2945, 824-3932. 37f

TOPS (Take Off Pounds Sensibly). Wed. 5:45-7 pm, Telstar Cafeteria. 11f

S.H.A.R.E., a support group for parents who have suffered an infant loss, stillborn birth or miscarriage. Stephens Memorial Hospital, first Thursday of each month, 7 pm. For information, call 824-2913. 24f

Bethel Freedom Group AA, which meets at Bethel First Station, Sunday 6-7:30, CCB; Tuesday 7-8:00 OD; O-Literature; Friday 7:30-9C 12x12. 23f

AL-ANON, Wednesday, 8 pm Telstar Regional High 28f

AA MEETS Wednesday, 8 pm, at Telstar Regional High School. 2f

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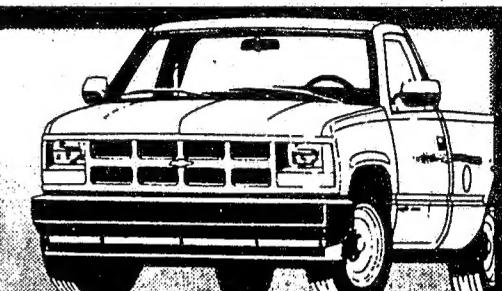
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94 Chevy Astro Ext'd

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93 Chevy S-10 Ex-Cab

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48 Pmts. of \$226.29 mo.

93 Chevy Cavalier 2dr

Sale Price \$5,550

42 Pmts. of \$138.60 mo.

93 Dodge Caravan

Sale Price \$9,950

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93 Dodge Shadow 4dr ES

Sale Price \$7,950

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93 Ford Escort LX 2dr

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Sale Price \$5,200

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Only 27,000 miles
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20-21f

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PUBLIC HEARING

Pursuant to Title 28 MRSA 252 - a notice is hereby given that a Public Hearing will be held on June 2, 1997 at 7:00 pm at the Bethel Town Office Meeting Room to consider a liquor license renewal from Rhea Lu's China Gem located on Mayville Road. Public comment will be heard at that time. Prior to the hearing date written comment may be issued to the Bethel Town Office. Christen Mason Town Clerk

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5-10-10	25 lb Bag	Only \$5.22
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Public Hearing

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Building Permit Ordinance, Site Plan Review Ordinance, and Sign Ordinance.

The Hearing will take place on Wednesday, May 28th, 1997 at 6:30 pm at the Town Office.

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PRIME RETAIL SPACE on busy Route 2 West Bethel location. Jeff or Pattie Parsons. (207) 836-3607

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450 SQUARE FEET. PRIME Main Street location. Available immediately. 824-3696.

For Rent

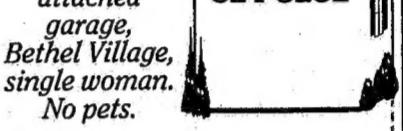
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North Pond, Woodstock: 1 1/2 story, 4 BR waterfront cottage on 1 acre lot, long road frontage, mountain view. 250'-+ frontage, year round access/seasonal occupancy. Lots of potential. \$119,900	Rt. 26, Bryant Pond: Commercial space, residence or rental potential. This 4 BR ranch style home sits atop a hill overlooking pond (recently ran). Ample parking, conven. loc enroute to Bethel/Sunday River. \$59,900	House Lots & Land Greenwood: 10 +/- acre parcel boasts long road frontage, privacy, and South Pond views. Reduced: \$14,500
Bethel: Spacious and well maintained 3 br, 2 bath mobile home situated on one private lot only 4 miles to village. Great starter home, comfortable family home or for retirement! Affordable or \$39,900	South Pond Shores: 4 BR plus loft, 2 bath chalet on private 5+ acre lot, spacious living area, fireplace, deck, deeded ROW to South Pond. ONLY \$117,900	Martin Road, Greenwood: 1 1/4 acre buildable lot in private convenient location. \$11,900 \$9,900
Twitchell Pond, Greenwood: 2 BR cottage offers lots of privacy, 100'-+ nice water frontage, year round access, privacy. Most furnishings, boat included! \$89,900	Lake Mills: Former Market Place boasts a 10,000 sq ft. of retail space and is situated on highly travelled Rte. 26 en route to skylifts/Bethel. Good visibility, endless possibilities. \$250,000	Indian Pond, Greenwood: .64/- acre lot, 100'-+ waterfront. Seasonal access \$24,000
Andover: Loc. on 21+/- rolling acres, this 3 BR + loft log home boasts spacious, comfortable living areas, 1000'-+ nice water frontage, year round access, privacy. Most furnishings, boat included! \$89,900	Bethel: Situated on scenic Green Hill Road Lot, this 2 1/2 BR mobile home is conveniently located to Bethel Village and is affordably priced. \$59,900 \$54,900	Furlong Pond, Greenwood: 1 1/4 acre lots. Seasonal access from \$12,000
Locke Mills: Former Market Place boasts a 10,000 sq ft. of retail space and is situated on highly travelled Rte. 26 en route to skylifts/Bethel. Good visibility, endless possibilities. \$250,000	South Pond Shores: 5+/- acre building lot boasts long road (private) frontage, privacy, deeded ROW to beach/pond. \$19,000	South Rumpford: 2 1/2 +/- acre building lot at \$16,500 or 97+/- acre parcel at \$49,900 Views, fields/woods, long road frontage. Subdivision Potential
Lake Christopher: Low-level, 3 BR condo, en route to skylifts/Bethel. Newly renovated, lovely lake/mtn. views \$34,900 NOW \$39,000	Mt. Abram: Furnished 1 BR unit only a short walk to the slopes! Comfort & affordability. \$43,900	South Pond Shores: 5+/- acre building lot boasts long road (private) frontage, privacy, deeded ROW to beach/pond. \$19,000

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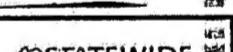
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FOR RENT 3 or 4 bedroom 1st floor, in town apartment with deck and large back yard, completely remodeled, no pets, non-smoker. For information call 824-2336 or 824-0425. 15ft

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NEWLY RENOVATED HOUSE - furnished 1 1/2 bedrooms - front porch. Non-smoking - no pets. \$450 + utilities included. Available now 'till Dec. 1. Call 824-2002. Weekly rates also available. 16ft

IN-TOWN BETHEL 3 bedroom, apartment on second floor. Available May 1st. No pets. \$500 month plus utilities. Call 824-3771 or 824-7762 ask for Vicki. 18-21

NEW 4 BR, 2 1/2 bath house, FHW baseboard and wood heat, dishwasher, W/D, sunny, nice views, off Sunday River Rd., heat and hot water included. 824-2115. 17ft

CHARMING, NEWLY RENOVATED four bedroom home in Bethel Village. LR/DR, FR, eat-in-kitchen, D/W, W/D, cable. Available May 1 - Dec. 1. 617-639-2969. 18-21p

APARTMENT FOR RENT - Quiet Bethel residential area, 2 bedrooms, furnished, no smoking. Available June 1 - September 2. \$300/week, \$800/month. 824-4944. 18-21p

2 BR TOWNHOUSE at Sunday River, furnished, quiet place, monthly rental until Nov. 15th. Includes dishwasher, cable TV, law car and fireplace with dry wood. 207-824-2222. 18ft

TWO BEDROOM HOUSE, W. Bethel. 1 1/2 miles to town. Furnished or not. Low utilities. Year round. Available now, \$550 month. Call 892-6547/776-9363. 19-22p

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FURNISHED 2 BEDROOM, full loft, year

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THREE BEDROOM APARTMENT for rent in Hanover also two bedroom trailer, eight miles from Sunday River. 369-0603 after 5 PM. 364-4777 before 5 PM. 21-21p

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HOUSE FOR RENT 2 bedroom + loft. Furnished or unfurnished. Oil and wood heat \$490 per month. 665-2267 21-22p

ACRE + LOT just outside West Bethel. New sewer system, down payment, owner will finance. Call 207-836-3945 17f

CAMP FOR SALE or Rent also house lots, camp lots, wood lots for sale. 1-207-836-3945 or 824-2144. 19p

2 BEDROOM HOME with small antique shop. Move in condition. Owner will finance with small down payment. Call 665-2638 or 674-2364. 18-21p

ACRE + LOT just outside West Bethel. Village, Brook, view, mostly cleared. Tested, okay for septic \$15,500. 875-3061 or 824-4577. 18-21p

CHOICE HOMESITES with mountain views and/or among tall pines in Bethel, Norway, Harrison. Ted Chadbourne 207-824-2222. 18f

Real Estate

SOUTH RIDGE 2 bedroom townhouse B-2 on Sunday River, sleeps six. Fully furnished, fireplace, dishwasher, mountain views, quiet location on Ridge Run Trail. No basement,

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3-6 BEDROOM FARMHOUSE in West Bethel. New sewer system, down payment, owner will finance. Call 207-836-3945 17f

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Obituaries

SOPHIE ZEMAITIS

Sophie (Zimmer) Zemaitis, 70, of Railroad Street, Bryant Pond, died early Tuesday morning, May 13, 1997, at Stephens Memorial Hospital.

Mrs. Zemaitis was born in Plainville, Conn., daughter of the late Tody and Mary (Charnetski) Zimmer, attended Plainville schools, later residing in New Britain, Conn., prior to establishing her residence in Bryant Pond over 20 years ago.

On June 19, 1951, she married Joseph Zemaitis, who died Nov. 17, 1993.

She was a member of the Bryant Pond Baptist Church.

Survivors include two daughters, Theresa Veneziano of New Britain, Conn., and Christine Byrnes of Lebanon, Conn.; a sister, Stella Wotyna and a brother Mike Zimmer, both of Florida; three grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. She was predeceased by a son, Ted Zemaitis, in 1989.

Memorial services were held at the Bryant Pond Baptist Church on Friday, May 16, with interment in Lakeside Cemetery, Bryant Pond. Friends who wish may make memorial donations to: Bryant Pond Baptist Church, Bryant Pond, ME 04219.

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KENNETH W. JODREY

Kenneth W. Jodrey, 48, died Tuesday, May 14, 1997, upon arrival at Rumford Community Hospital. He was a resident of Andover and had lived in the area all of his life.

He was born in Rumford on Oct. 6, 1948, the son of John and Alice (Cole) Jodrey, Sr. He was a graduate of Andover High School with the class of 1967. He was a self-employed truck driver for Ken's Trucking in Andover.

He was a member of Maine Snowmobile Association, president of Snow Valley Snow Goers, member of Andover Loggers Softball Team, Ellis River Riders, and NRA.

He was an avid outdoorsman and loved to hunt, fish, snowmobile and especially loved his children and grandchildren.

Survivors include three daughters, Alicia of Rumford, Mrs. Jamie (Lonna) Downs of Virginia Beach, Va., Mrs. Kevin (Marcy) Sweetser of Mexico; two sons, Kenneth Jr. of Andover and Richard Gilks of Lewiston; two brothers, Leroy and his wife Tina of Canton and Richard and his wife Rhonda of Andover; five sisters, Mrs. Hanson (Elaine) Morton and Mrs. Owen (Virginia) Morton of Andover, Mrs. Loreta Huston of Sanford, Mrs. Alfred (Roberta) Roy of Frye, Mrs. James (Rosemary) Taylor of Mexico; four grandchildren; and his companion, Kimberly Gauthreaux and her children, Kayla, Nicolas and Kissie. He was predeceased by a sister, Dorothy Amy Jodrey and one brother, John W. Jodrey, Jr.

Funeral services were held Friday, May 16, at Andover Congregational Church, with interment in Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover.

Memorial Service for Anne S. Fox

Saturday May 24th at 11:00 am
Andover Congregational Church
Come Celebrate her Long and Active Life

CHESTER "CHET" KIMBALL

C. Chester "Chet" Kimball, 94, died Friday, May 16, 1997, at his residence.

Chet was born in Locke Mills on Oct. 13, 1902, the son of Wesley and Florence (Osgood) Kimball. He married Marion Bean in 1930 and after her death in 1934, Chet married Fay Mitchell on May 15, 1936. They later moved to Bethel to raise their family. He graduated from Woodstock High School in 1920, where he was well known for his basketball abilities, both on and off the courts.

Mr. Kimball worked as a finisher operator at Ekco Wood Products for almost 50 years, before retiring from there in 1967. After retiring, he continued working for many years as the night watchman for the Bethel Inn.

A member of the Knights of Pythias for many years, Mr. Kimball remained very active throughout his life. He was an avid Boston Red Sox fan, even though their off seasons, enjoyed fishing and tending to his gardens. He was the self-proclaimed card champion of the Kimball family, especially when it came to cribbage and 63.

Chet is survived by his wife of 61 years, with whom he just celebrated their anniversary on Thursday. He is also survived by three daughters, Mary Jean Smith of Bethel, Geneva and her husband Laurence Pelletier of Auburn, N.H., and Florence and her husband Andre Bernier of Bethel; two sons, Paul and his wife Charlotte Kimball of Bethel and Dale and his wife Nancy Kimball of Douglasville, Ga.; a sister, Evelyn Swanson of Portland; 10 grandchildren; four great-grandchildren; and several nieces and nephews. He was predeceased by two brothers, Elmer and LaForest Kimball; and two sisters, Stella Howe and S. Bertha Kimball.

Survivors include three children, Martha Brown and her husband Merton of Kennebunk, George J. of Lindenhurst, N.Y., and Ellen of Farmington, N.H.; one brother, Robert of Wells; two sisters, Nancy

day, May 18, at the East Bethel Church, Intervale Road, Bethel.

MADELEINE E. LEARNED

Madeleine Elizabeth Learned died at birth Saturday, May 17, 1997, at the Fletcher-Allen Health Care in Burlington, Vt.

She was the daughter of Mary J. Learned and Andrew Gray of Burlington.

Survivors include her parents of Burlington; maternal grandparents, Philip and Mary Learned of Andover; an aunt, Mrs. Joel (Linda) Putnam of Rockville, Ind.; and an uncle, Steven Learned of Lebanon, Ind.

Friends are invited to attend graveside services at 1 p.m. on Friday, May 23, at the Woodlawn Cemetery, Andover, with the Rev. Duane Waite officiating.

OWEN WENTWORTH

Owen Wentworth, 80, of Kennebunk, died Sunday, May 18, 1997, at Maine Medical Center, Portland.

He was born in Orono on Oct. 17, 1916, a son of George Jacobs and Della Page Wentworth. He graduated from Kennebunk High School in 1934 and from the University of Maine in 1939.

He married Jane Littlefield of Kennebunk in July of 1949. She died in September of 1994.

Mr. Wentworth served proudly in the U.S. Navy as a pilot from 1940 to 1945.

He was the last member of his family to own and operate the Narragansett By The Sea Hotel on Kennebunk Beach, selling the grand old hotel in 1981.

Survivors include three children, Martha Brown and her husband Merton of Kennebunk, George J. of Lindenhurst, N.Y., and Ellen of Farmington, N.H.; one brother, Robert of Wells; two sisters, Nancy

and friends of Cali-

fornia; three grandchildren, Phoebe, Paige and Jedd Brown of Kennebunk.

A private graveside service will be held at the convenience of the family. Memorial donations may be made in his memory to the Animal Welfare Society Inc., P.O. Box 43, West Kennebunk, ME 04043.

EMERY A. RYERSON JR.

Emery A. Ryerson Jr., 71, died Sunday, May 18, 1997, at the Maine Veterans Home, South Paris, after fighting emphysema for 20 years.

He was born May 8, 1926, in Sumner, the son of Emery A. and Esther (Amero) Ryerson Sr. and he attended local schools in Summer and West Paris. After school he enlisted in the U.S. Navy as a radar specialist during World War II.

After leaving the Navy he married the former Cleo Elizabeth Appleby on Dec. 21, 1946, and celebrated their 50th anniversary with family and friends in December of 1996.

From 1946 to 1950 Emery worked for the West Paris Feldspar Mine and for Maurice Benson. In 1950 he began working for his father-in-law, Walter E. Appleby, in the plumbing and heating business, and then went on to become a licensed master plumber for a span of 40 years. In 1988 he retired and enjoyed cooking, gardening, watching baseball and basketball, attended the annual basketball tournaments in Augusta, and was an avid politician at the Trap Corner Store.

He was a member of the Bethel V.F.W. and the Ring-McKeen Post 151, American Legion, West Paris, serving as its commander for a period of over 30 years. He was a member of the West Paris Cemetery Association and the Bryant Pond Planning Committee. He was a troop and pack leader of the Boy Scouts and Cub Scouts for numerous years, and was very proud of his grandson, Mather Ryerson, who attained the level of Eagle Scout, and was espe-

cially proud of all his children and grandchildren's achievements and accomplishments in life.

Mr. Ryerson was an avid hunter and enjoyed the outdoors, and especially enjoyed one of the first Maine moose hunts as a partner with his daughter-in-law, Wanda Ryerson.

Besides his wife of a half century,

he is survived by five sons, David Belskis and his wife Carol of West Paris, Craig Ryerson and Jane of Bethel, Duane K. Ryerson and his wife Lisa of Woodstock, Perry T. Ryerson and his wife Anna of Wayne, Troy Ryerson of Woodstock; two sisters, Myrtle Bonney of West Paris and Bernice Swan of Bryant Pond; a brother, Donald Ryerson of Ledgeview Living Center in West Paris; 13 grandchildren; two great-grandchildren; and his dog Cinda. He was predeceased by a daughter, Pamela Eileen; three sisters, Reta Proctor, Erma Chapman and Beatrice Heath; and a brother, Roy Ryerson.

Funeral services will be held at Andrews Funeral Home, South Woodstock, on Thursday, May 24, at 10:30 a.m. Interment will be in Wayside Cemetery, West Paris. In lieu of flowers, donations may be sent to: Ring-McKeen Post 151, P.O. Box 200, West Paris, ME 04289, in memory of Mr. Ryerson.

Graveside Services
MILDRED B. DeCOSTER

Graveside services will be held for Mildred B. DeCoster on Saturday, May 24, 1997, 9 a.m., at the Buckfield Village Cemetery, Buckfield.

HORACE L. COBB

Graveside services for Horace L. Cobb will be held Friday, May 23, 1997, at 1 p.m. at the Elmwood Cemetery, East Sumner.

WEDDINGS • BIRTHS • DEATHS

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Card of Thanks

I wish to thank all the nurses and staff at Stephens Memorial Hospital for the excellent care I received while there. A special thanks to Dr. Saracino.

Also wish to thank everyone for the cards, visits, calls and flowers I received while in the hospital and at home.

Edwin Howe

Card of Thanks

Thank you, to the members of my family and friends, who gave me a surprise Birthday Party, at the Locke Mills Legion Hall - It was greatly appreciated!

Thank you again -

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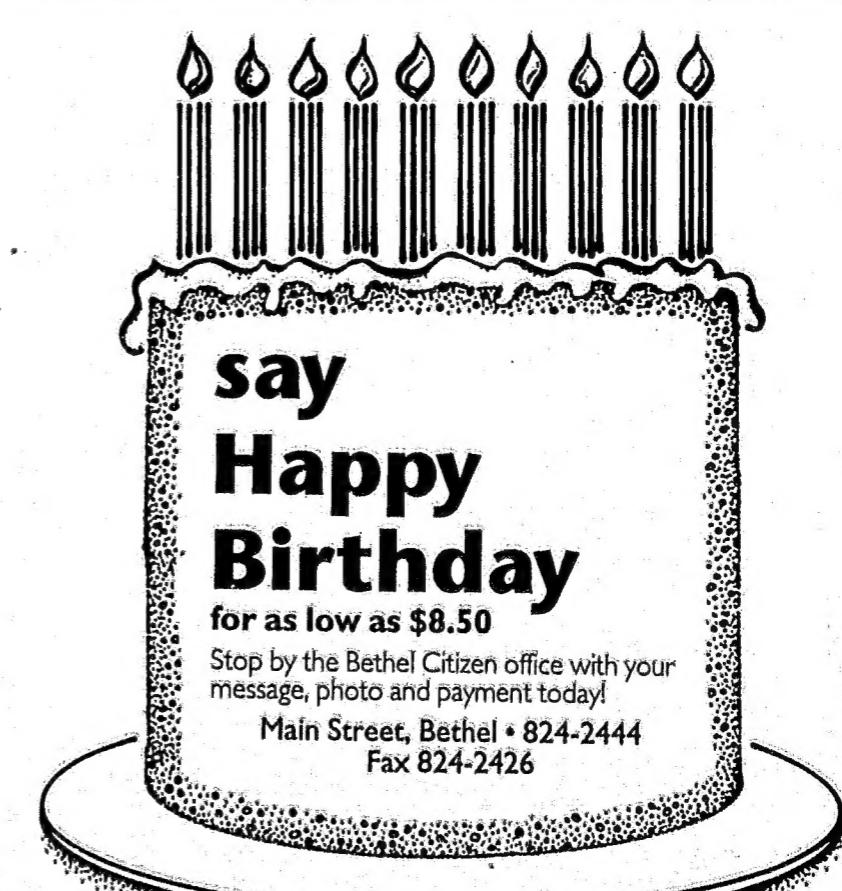
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Flowers strewn pathways
All our lives through;
God hath not promised
Sun without rain,
Joy without sorrow,
Peace without pain.*

*But God hath promised
Strength for the day,
Rest for the labor,
Light for the way.
Grace for the trials,
Help from above,
Unfailing sympathy
Undying love...*

**To Very Dear Family,
Friends, & Neighbors...**
*Perhaps you sent a lovely card,
Or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece,
If so we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words
As any friend could say;
Perhaps you were not there at all,
Just thought of us that day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
We thank you so much whatever the part.*
With Much Love, Precious
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Thank-You.
The Family of Esther A. Davis



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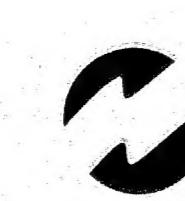
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